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PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED ACROSS THE RIVER

CHANGES MADE IN PROPOSED HIGHWAY BILL

Committee Directs Hirst to Change Graduated Auto Surtax to Flat Rate on Various Weights of Cars

WOULD TAX CARS FROM OUT OF STATE STAYING OVER TEN DAYS

Double License Fees for Automobile Busses to be Assessed Under Plan

MADISON, Wis.—Decisions of wide importance in highway legislation to be proposed to the present session were made by the joint highway committee of the Wisconsin legislature at its meeting Wednesday night. Although final agreement was not reached upon a weight tax on automobiles, the members made other determinations that indicate the trend of the legislators in road matters.

A. R. Hirst, state highway engineer, after presenting a tentative bill as directed by the committee, calling for a graduated weight surtax, was asked again to change its provisions slightly in order to set a flat rate on automobiles between certain small steps in weight, rather than by a direct 100 pound basis. This will mean but slight change in the general schedule.

In order to realize larger returns from motor buses which farmers declare are tearing up Wisconsin's roads, the committee decided to assess these carriers at double the license fee on trucks of the same weight, making the maximum fee $352 per car.

Tax Foreign Cars

Decision was reached to give automobiles from other states a ten day privilege period, and if they stayed longer to tax them $1 for the first 30 days, and require a regular motor car tax after 30 days had expired.

Trucks, which formerly paid a flat $10 rate if operated within city limits, would be required to pay a single rate based upon weight, no matter what the limit of their travel.

A flat rate of $5 for motorcycles without side cars and of $8 for motorcycles with side cars was agreed upon by the committee. At present these machines pay $2.

It was determined that automobiles licensed after July 1 each year would pay 75 per cent of the full fee, while those licensed after September would pay 50 per cent. They now pay the full $10 fee.

Mr. Hirst is to prepare new labels of license fees based upon weight between definite steps, and present these to the meeting next Wednesday. While weight is still adhered to by the committee as the basis of its licensing bill, there is a growing sentiment for a gasoline tax combined with a graduated license fee based either on valuation or weight.

U. S. Aid Now Available

MADISON, Wis.—By the Associated Press.—Federal aid for highway construction to the extent of $1,500,000 will be made immediately available by a bill recommended today through the joint highway committee of the legislature. This will enable the highway commission to proceed at once with its plans for the present year, if the bill is passed.

Under its provisions $711,000 of highway money, now lying in the general fund out of use, will be appropriated to the commission for road building, in addition to $788,000 which is appropriated from the general fund in anticipation of excess highway funds after all expenditures legally allowed from license fees on automobiles are made.

The bill terminates the county obligation to meet with a like amount the expenditure of the state to meet federal aid. It provides that one-half of the total expenditure shall be pro-rated to counties for expenditure by them on federal aid projects within their boundaries, and one-half remains with the state department for expenditure by it.

This is in effect an emergency measure to meet the federal aid soon to become due and to guarantee the highway commission some funds to go ahead with its projected construction for 1923.

EARTHQUAKE IN ECUADOR TAKES TOLL OF 5 LIVES

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Feb. 8.—Dispatches from Quito report that an earthquake was felt Wednesday in that city and its environs. Five persons are said to have been killed. Slides occurred in many places, covering the railway tracks.

BILL TO APPROVE DEBT FUNDING PLAN BEFORE COMMITTEE

Favorable Action by Night Sought by Ways and Means Chairman

MEASURE SUBMITTED BY OHIO MAN SATISFACTORY TO NONE

Plan Would Authorize Settlement With Other Powers

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The American debt commission does not desire to make more favorable terms with the debtor nations than are embodied in the settlement agreement reached with the British government, the house ways and means committee was told Thursday by Representative Burton, republican, Ohio, a member of the commission.

"That would not be fair to Great Britain," said Mr. Burton. "That is the country that has come forward and helped us with a settlement. It has, as it were, put a spur behind the other debtor nations."

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Legislation which would give effect to the British debt settlement agreement reached recently by the British and American debt commissions was taken up Thursday by the house ways and means committee. Chairman Fordney hoped to obtain favorable action before night to get it considered by the house.

As introduced by Representative Burton, republican of Ohio, a member of the American commission, the measure is in the form of a general amendment to the existing debt funding law and would approve and authorize the British settlement. In addition it would authorize settlements, similar in terms, with other governments indebted to this country "subject to the approval of the president."

In its present form the bill was declared to be satisfactory neither to the majority nor the minority of the committee. Republican members wanted the specific terms of the settlement set out in the amendment, but it was not certain that they would insist on this because of difficulties encountered by the legislative experts in writing such an amendment.

Democrats on the committee regarded the provision authorizing the commission to make settlements with the other nations "similar in terms" to the British agreement as leaving the door wide open for much more liberal agreements. Their chief objection was to the section authorizing future settlements subject only to the approval of the president.

DOOLEY EXAMINED FRIDAY AFTERNOON ON MURDER CHARGE

Suspect Held in Connection With Stabbing of Frank Colgan Two Years Ago

Claud Dooley, charged with having stabbed Frank Colgan to death in Copeland park, will be examined in county court, before Judge C. W. Hunt, Friday afternoon. Dooley will be defended by Fred H. Hartwell. District Attorney Gordon will prosecute the case. Dooley is now being held in the county jail without bail. His defense will be that he stabbed Colgan only after the latter had attacked him and had beaten him. Dooley also maintains that he did not know that Colgan was dead and that he had no knowledge that the fight had turned out fatally.

TRIUMPH VOTES $30,000 BONDS

TRIUMPH, Minn.—A $30,000 bond issue to permit the construction of an addition to the school here was voted at the special election by a majority of 91 votes. Of the 255 votes cast 173 favored and 82 opposed the bond issue. The bonds will bear 4½ per cent and will run 15 years.

USED CARS

If you are in the market for a used automobile, you'll find a big list of bargains in the "want ads" of the

TRIBUNE

Of course, you may not find just the car you want advertised tonight. In that case

Use the Want Ads Tomorrow.

COUNTY JAILER GOING BLIND, SHOOTS SELF

Otto Kowalke Sends Bullet Into Head in Closet off Reception Room at County Jail

COMPLAINED SHORT TIME BEFORE OF FADING SIGHT

Dr. Reay Has Victim Removed to La Crosse Hospital; Wound May be Fatal

DRIVEN to desperation by the thought of the blindness that was slowly enveloping his eyes, Otto Kowalke, jailer at the county jail, shot himself in the head shortly before noon Thursday at the county jail.

Within a few minutes after the shooting occurred Kowalke was removed to the La Crosse hospital. Dr. G. R. Reay, county physician, who was called to attend the case, said the wound undoubtedly would prove fatal. Kowalke had shot himself back of the right ear with a .44 caliber revolver.

Dollie Quinn Hears Shot

The first person to hear the shot and to act was Dollie Quinn, a prisoner at the jail. Miss Quinn is a trusty and had been cleaning the upper floors of the jails. As soon as she heard the shot, she traced it to the reception room and while standing in that room heard moans coming from the direction of a closet on the east side of the room. She noticed that the closet door was closed so she called Mrs. B. J. Lund, wife of Sheriff Lund.

Mrs. Lund entered the jail and reception room and pushed the closet door open far enough to see Kowalke's body lying on the floor and partly preventing the door from opening. Mrs. Lund summoned Undersheriff Miller from the court house. Miller in turn called Dr. Reay. After a cursory examination of Kowalke at the jail, Dr. Reay ordered his removal to the La Crosse hospital.

The answer to the question as to why Kowalke shot himself was offered by Fred H. Hartwell, friend of Kowalke of many years standing.

Was Going Blind

"I was at the county jail Thursday morning," said Mr. Hartwell, "to interview Claud Dooley, a prisoner. I noticed that Kowalke had something on his mind. I asked him what the trouble was.

"'Fred, I am going blind,' Kowalke replied. 'It has been coming on me since the Spanish war. I was in that war and my eyes have bothered me ever since I was in the army. It is getting on my mind. I have records here to keep and I can't see the books to write in them. I want you or Mr. Brody (L. J. Brody of Mr. Hartwell's law office) to see if I can't get blind aid from the government.'

"Everything will be all right, Otto," Mr. Hartwell told Kowalke. "Just keep a stiff upper lip and everything will be all right. Mr. Brody or I will be up this afternoon to talk over your case."

Mr. Hartwell noticed that Kowalke was having some difficulty in locking Dooley in his cell after the interview. He seemed to be fumbling with the lock and key. Finally Kowalke called Mr. Hartwell over to his side, handed the key to Dooley so he could let himself in the cell, which Dooley did and then handed the key back to Kowalke. Then Kowalke locked the door from the outside.

Complains of Poor Sight

"See, Fred, I can hardly see to lock and unlock these doors," was the piteous plaint of the jailer to his friend.

Within a half hour after Mr. Hartwell left the jail he had been notified that Kowalke had shot himself and was not expected to live.

Kowalke was appointed jailer by Sheriff Lund, succeeding James Lang on January 1. Mr. Kowalke is married, his wife living at their home, 1303 South Sixth street. Mr. Kowalke has been connected with the brewery workers' union in the city for many years, having been employed in the bottling department of the G. Heileman Brewing company for years.

Sheriff Lund will not be back in the city until Friday, having gone to Waupun with a prisoner.

FRENCH AND U. S. SHIPS CRASH IN EASTERN WATERS

LONDON.—A Constantinople dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph says the French cruiser Earnest Renan was in collision with an American torpedo boat destroyer in Turkish waters. The American boat was damaged, but the French warship was undamaged.

BRAKEMAN KILLED IN A FALL FROM A FREIGHT TRAIN

Frank A. Smith of this City Found Dead Beside Track Near Prairie du Chien

BELIEVED TO HAVE FALLEN WHILE CLIMBING UP A CAR

Fatal Accident Occurs on Night Train South of City

Frank A. Smith, 1333 George street, a Burlington brakeman was found dead on the tracks four miles north of Prairie du Chien Wednesday night about 10 o'clock by Conductor Adolph L. Ryser who was in charge of the train on which Smith was working.

According to the story told by Conductor Ryser, Smith had been in the way car a few minutes before chatting with Ryser, and had gone out. Two or three minutes after he had gone through the door, the conductor said he heard "a sort" of a grinding as though the caboose had run over something. He became curious and went out to look, but could see nothing. Then he began looking for Smith, and when he failed to find him on either platform of the caboose, or on top of the train he signalled for a stop and with the head end brakeman went back along the track. About a half or three quarters of a mile behind the train they came upon the body of Smith lying near the track cut in two.

The theory advanced by Mr. Ryser is that Smith started out along the top of the train for some reason or other and slipped between the cars. The story that Smith was looking for a hot box is not true, said the conductor, as the train had been sidetracked at Prairie for over an hour and had not proceeded more than four miles along its route to La Crosse when the accident occured.

Smith is survived by his wife, his mother who resides in Milwaukee and one brother.

NEIN ASKS PASSES FOR PENSIONED OR DISABLED RAIL MEN

Transportation Privilege Only Just Compensation for Service Says La Crosse Man

MADISON, Wis.—Free passes for railroad men and their families after being pensioned or disabled in the service was asked by Assemblyman Henry Nein, La Crosse, in a bill introduced in the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature Thursday.

The bill would amend the statutes to permit railroads to grant free transportation to employes who are furloughed or pensioned or who have become disabled in the service and their families. Wives of employes killed in the service would also be granted passes during her widowhood as would minor children during their minority.

"Railroaders do not look upon this as favoritism," Mr. Nein said, "but as just compensation for their services to the railroad companies."

HINTON ARRIVES IN RIO, COMPLETING A 5,000-MILE FLIGHT

RIO DE JANEIRO—Lieutenant Walter Hinton, the American aviator arrived here Thursday, completing his seaplane flight from New York to Rio de Janeiro.

Lieutenant Hinton and his companions by their arrival at Rio de Janeiro have completed a journey of more than 5,000 miles, undertaken as a mark of friendship between the United States and Brazil on the occasion of the latter nation's centennial celebration.

WAR LOOMS AS ALLIES REJECT TURK DEMANDS

Commanders of Allied Fleets Ordered to Remain and Defend Ships in Case of Attack

TIME LIMIT OF ULTIMATUM IS EXTENDED TILL THURSDAY NIGHT

Near Eastern Situation Regarded as Extremely Critical

LONDON.—The situation at Smyrna was considerably eased Thursday, according to British official quarters, where it was thought it was unlikely that any fighting would occur.

It is believed the "ultimatum" issued by the Turkish chief of staff, who is on a tour of inspection in Anatolia, will be withdrawn as soon as the Angora authorities understand the allies are firm in resisting the demands that the allied warships quit Smyrna harbor.

Pleasure was expressed in British official circles that the American representative at Smyrna joined in the protest to the Angora government.

PARIS.—The French press attaches the greatest importance to the Smyrna situation, regarding it to be so delicate as to render the declaration of war inevitable unless the Turks recede from their position in demanding the withdrawal of allied warships. It is pointed out that there are probably ten large naval units at Smyrna.

The governor of Smyrna is reported to have informed the French consul there that he has extended by twenty-four hours the time within which the allied warships must leave Smyrna harbor. The governor is said to have decided on the postponement in order that he may receive instructions from the Angora government.

A Constantinople dispatch Wednesday night said that the Turks had reduced the time limit for the allied war vessels to leave Smyrna harbor from midnight until sunset Wednesday.

More Ships Ready

VALETTA, Malta.—The British superdreadnoughts Resolution and Emperor of India arrived at Mytilene Wednesday ready to steam the short distance across to Smyrna if the Turks take action on their threat to force the allied warships from that port.

Ordered to Defend Ships

PARIS.—The French, British and Italian governments in reply to the Turkish ultimatum that all warships quit Smyrna harbor by midnight Wednesday night ordered their ships to remain and to defend themselves if necessary in case of attack.

The warship commanders also were instructed to take measures necessary to protect allied subjects reported menaced by the Turks. Warships can land rescuing parties and at their discretion embark the entire foreign colony.

The allied governments also sent a sharp protest to the Angora government against the action of the Smyrna governor in ordering the warships to leave, informing Angora of the orders sent the naval commanders. They also protested against the threats made against the lives of foreigners during the last two days.

Reject Turk Demands

LONDON, — BMy the Associated Press.—After conversations Wednesday between the British and French governments it was agreed, in terms proposed by the French, to reject the

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Plane Carries Physician Over Icefields To Aid Of Wounded Youth On Lake Michigan Isle

CHARLEVOIX, Mich.—A man who lay near death three days following an injury, was on the way to recovery, and other persons who are ill but had been unable to obtain medical attention because of the inaccessibility of their island home, were under the care of a physician Thursday owing to the traditional devotion to his calling of the north country medical practitioner and to the development of aviation.

The stricken persons are residents of Beaver Island. Their plight was known here but ice floes precluded boat travel over the ten mile stretch of Lake Michigan.

Wednesday the army air service came to the rescue, transporting Dr. R. B. Armstrong to the isle where he performed an operation and saved the life of Jesse Cole, the injured man. At the same time another physician, Dr. J. B. Brown, risked his life in a successful crossing of the ice fields. The trip required 14 hours.

Arriving too late to assist Cole, a woodsman who had sustained a fractured skull, Dr. Brown found numerous residents of the village of St. James ill and badly in need of his services. He will remain on the island indefinitely, ministering to the sick.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE CAMPAIGN ENDS SUCCESSFULLY

Fund of $2,000,000 is Raised is the Official Announcement Made

MRS. E. C. THOMPSON SAYS STATE GIVES ITS FULL QUOTA

Makes Public Statement Telling of Success of Drive

Mrs. E. C. Thompson, state chairman of the Women's Christian College campaign, which has for several months been canvassing the country through the women of the churches, on Thursday announced the successful completion of the fund of $2,000,000. Wisconsin's share of $40,000 was practically completed, Mrs. Thompson said, although final figures are not yet in, so that a definite statement is not available.

Mrs. Thompson made public the following statement:

"There have been some large gifts but the best of the campaign is in the thousands of small gifts which have made up the larger part of the $2,000,000. Apparently the boards have appropriated less than $500,000. We have received large gifts amounting to approximately $400,000, and the remainder has come in smaller gifts, ranging from $1.00 to $1000. The trustees of the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial fund have been kind, sympathetic, appreciative, and have given us every help and encouragement, paying over promptly for every $100,000 certificated for by us a check for $50,000, and extending the time of payment until February first. The story of this campaign is a love story, illustrated, and the best of it is the sequel over on the other side, where the colleges we hope will live happily ever after.

"A man who has conducted campaigns said recently, 'We men are watching you women, not to see whether you will get the money, but whether you will hold together in a co-operative relation through a financial campaign. The men have not been able to do it. Perhaps you will show us how.' Above all else I think I prize the co-operation that has been possible. The family of Christ has been represented, and He has blessed us as one in Him. It was the united effort that appealed to so many.

"It has been, perhaps, the most inefficient campaign ever carried on. There has been no corps of paid workers. Any one who would work at all was eagerly welcomed. Wholly inefficient, but as of old the gifts of loving women, even though unworthy, were received and blessed, so again He has blessed inefficiency and has given us success, for it has succeeded."

OPENING OF BIDS FOR BLACK RIVER WORK IS POSTPONED

Chairman Olsen Announces Bids Will be Opened Next Wednesday Morning

Opening of bids for materials with which to repair the breaks in the banks of the Black River, which were advertised for by the special Black River improvement committee of the board, Barney Olsen chairman, and which was to have been held Thursday morning has been postponed until next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The enabling act, authorizing the county to proceed with the work and also empowering the city of La Crosse to assume any liability in the matter that might be incurred, has passed both the senate and assembly and now is in the hands of the governor. He probably will sign it Thursday or Friday.

The postponement of the bid opening was done to give the common council an opportunity at its meeting Friday night to pass an ordinance in which the city assumes liability in the Black river project.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY URGED BY BADGER SOLON

MADISON, Wis.—Direct nomination of the president and vice president by popular vote is asked in a resolution by Senator O. H. Johnson, Gratiot, recommended for adoption Thursday by the senate judiciary committee. The resolution memorializes congress to submit to the people the question of an amendment to the constitution to permit direct choice of presidential candidates.

TO BURY COMPANION

KINGSDALE Minn.—A lone relative, an uncle in North Dakota, being unable to provide a burial, Louis Simmonson, 30, a lumberjack, found frozen to death near here last Wednesday, will be given a "lumberjack's" burial here next Sunday.

NUMBER SIX IN THE DITCH WORD RECEIVED

Doctors and Nurses Rushed to Scene of Wreck Following Notification Received Here

ENGINE AND TWELVE COACHES DERAILED NEAR BRIDGE SWITCH

Wrecking Crews of Two Railroads are Sent to the Scene

The train went off the track in front of Burton's cottage, according to word received just before going to press, and bumped along over the ties for 500 feet before being brought to a stop.

None of the coaches was overturned and miraculously no one was injured, it was said at 3 o'clock. Passengers were taken off and brought to the city on a stub train sent over from here after the wreck.

The engine and 12 cars of train No. 6 of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad left the tracks between River Junction and Bridge Switch about 12:45 Thursday afternoon.

Doctors and nurses left the city for the scene of the wreck.

The engine was derailed in such a manner that it was turned crosswise on the main line and blocked traffic in both directions. Twelve express and passenger cars were also thrown off the track. The cause of the wreck had not been determined to 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The Burlington wrecking crew was called out and the light Milwaukee wreckers sent to the scene to clear the track so that traffic could be permitted to pass. An engine and two coaches were sent over to bring the passengers back to the city.

Train No. 6 is the day express, arriving in the city at 1 o'clock from the west.

ASKS AMENDMENT OF TEN PER CENT CLAUSE IN PRIMARY LAW

MADISON, Wis.—Amendment of the ten percent clause in the Wisconsin primary election law to require that but five percent of the votes cast for a party candidate in the last general election would give the party a place on the next election ballot, was proposed Thursday by Assemblyman Richard Kamke Merrill, the only Democrat member of the legislature. His bill is introduced as a result of inability of Democratic candidates to comply with the restricting regulation during the last election.

FREE STATE TROOPS LANDED FROM SHIP GROUNDED ON ROCKS

QUEENSTOWN.—The troops carried by the Free State government steamer Slievenamon, which struck the rocks twelve miles southeast of this port Wednesday, have been landed by small boats at Ballycotin. The vessel, a patrol boat, was so badly damaged that she remained where she struck. The crew was also taken off.

WEATHER REPORT

For La Crosse and vicinity—Generally fair and colder tonight and Friday.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Friday. Colder. Cold wave in northeast portion tonight with zero temperature.

For Minnesota—Fair tonight and Friday. Colder tonight. Continued cold Friday.

For Iowa—Snow probable in west and south portions; partly cloudy northeast portion tonight and Friday. Colder.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	20	10 a. m.	20
7 a. m.	20	11 a. m.	20
8 a. m.	19	12 m.	20
9 a. m.	20	1 p. m.	16

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Low last night	Yesterday's high	Prec.
Bismarck	2	34	..
Chicago	24	28	..
Denver	28	46	.01
Helena	8	38	.04
Huron	12	40	..
Jacksonville	38	54	..
Kansas City	30	42	..
LA CROSSE	20	27	..
Madison	20	24	..
Memphis	36	46	..
Medicine Hat	56	32	..
Milwaukee	18	24	..
Miles City	8	38	..
New York	16	38	..
New Orleans	44	52	..
San Diego	44	66	..
San Francisco	44	56	..
St. Paul	14	32	..
Minneapolis	14	32	..
Spokane	22	36	.12
Washington	20	34	..

WOMEN OF CUBA ORGANIZE FOR EQUAL RIGHTS

Decalogue of Rights Issued by National Women's Congress in Havana

HAVANA, Cuba.—Cuban womanhood will be called to the colors soon for a campaign to secure equal rights. The opening gun will be fired at a National Woman's Congress which is being organized by a committee from the National Federation of Feminine Associations and, although the date has not been fixed, an extensive program consisting of ten official congressional themes has been arranged. It follows:

1. Women's Rights. Constitutional reforms to secure civil and political equality.

2. Social Mission of Cuban Womanhood. Action through public speaking and the press.

3. Women's Work. Protective legislation for feminine workers and expectant mothers who also are bread winners.

4. Protection for the Cuban Home. Reformation of legislation affecting property rights of wives and children.

5. Moral and Physical Welfare of the Race. Campaigns against social evils and diseases, bad books white slave trade and latest forming dress.

6. Child Welfare. Assistance in fighting infant mortality and improving the moral and physical standards of Cuba's youth.

7. Social Welfare. Study of arts and sciences, summer colonies, instruction in civil rights.

8. Woman suffrage. Constitutional reforms.

9. Women in Business. Their actual status and means of improving it.

10. Women on the Farm. Farm classes for women and means of instilling a love for flowers and the beautifying of homes.

The executive committee for the congress is made up of Mrs. Pilar Meelen de Menendez, president, and eight vice presidents; Mrs. Manuela Borriz de Valoes, secretary and five assistant secretaries; and Miss Hortensia Lamar, treasurer.

Public Debate

MAYOR BENTLEY'S PLATFORM

Editor of The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press, City.

Dear Sir: With two candidates announced for election as mayor, the spring campaign for city election is on.

Mr. Verchota's letter is quite brief and to the point, while that of Mayor Bentley's is rather lengthy.

The letter of the mayor contains some very valuable offerings and things very commendable, equal to a promise that if he is elected he will be the servant of ALL the people, and not favor any group, or class or faction, upholding all laws and working for harmony for the general welfare of the whole city, etc., but it is not in keeping with his work.

In discussing the merits of different candidates the voters will consider a man's record of service in office rather than his promises, where the two differ so materially.

Regarding taxation, eight years ago the assessed valuation of property in the city was $26,151,049, and in 1922 it was $41,850,000 in round figures, making the income to the city about $500,000 more than it was eight years ago. Look at your tax receipts for these years and compare them. Have you had additional service?

How about harmony three years ago with a big strike in the building trades, lasting three months and unemployment much longer. Who suffered for that strike? Some are suffering for it today. Strikes are too expensive. All on account of a few hod carriers, yet the mayor egged them on and told the union men to stand by their demands "Until hell freze over."

Must we be charitable to the mayor and overlook it and try him out again? No, we can try someone else.

The Listman mill is owned by outside capital and is shut down, idle and rusting and going to decay.

It takes a long time to build up a good business in La Crosse because of keen competition from all sides, and industry here need nourishing. It only takes a small blow to kill it.

How about the union depot matter? Nothing about that. One big railroad must build, that means employment to many men; why not get some action there and get it out of the way?

New school houses, street paving, grading, bridges, sewer and water extensions, new causeway, etc., are the city's business, not of any one individual. It is proper routine and only requires the work of a mathematician to work out, as the city can provide funds by tax or bond, but what the city needs is a man at the head ready for the bigger things, for emergencies, to execute wisely when important matters arise in the interest of the highest welfare of all and not set class against class for votes which makes trouble and only gets mediocre results from his administration.

These and other matters should be discussed as proper public matters giving all voters the full opportunity of knowing the issues and the candidates, and try to select a leader who can rise to the occasion, and not sit back, fold his arms and let "George" do it. Very truly yours,

H. L. TAYLOR.

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OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

St. Jacob's Oil stops any pain, so when your back is sore and lame, or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest St. Jacobs Oil at any drug store, pour a little in your hand, and rub it right on your aching back; and by the time you count fifty the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless, and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

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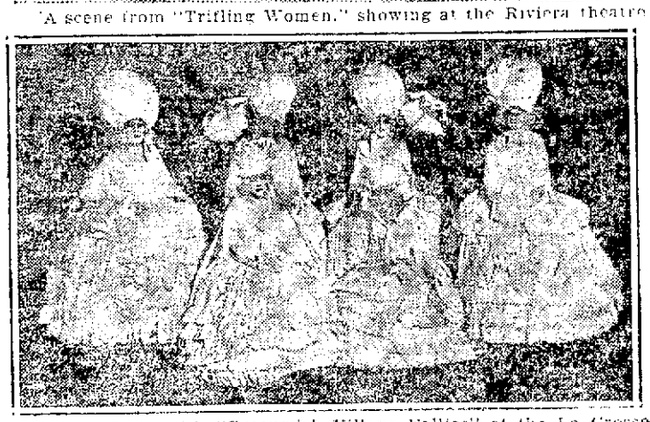
TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the messy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular, because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

A scene from "Trifling Women," showing at the Riviera theatre for three days, starting today.



Four entertainers with "Greenwich Village Follies" at the La Crosse Theatre Saturday and Sunday, February 17 and 18.

Lon Chaney in Oliver Twist

At the Majestic all this week—featuring Jackie Coogan.

ARM WORTH MORE THAN LEG: WARNING SEEN IN VERDICTS

BOONTON, N. J.—A man's arm is worth more than a leg these days of high pressure production.

Federal court in this city, presided over by Judge Runyon, made two awards for the separation of limbs from trunks. Edward Pittenger was awarded $12,000 for an arm lost when a detective mistook Eddie for a thief.

Frank Cerigliano was mistaken by a railroad train for a track and lost a leg. He won $10,000.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

Aircraft insurance experienced a disastrous loss record in 1921.

ACCUSE PASTOR

ERIE, Pa.—By The Associated Press.—The Rev. John Dembinski, pastor of St. Casimir Catholic church, was formally charged with murder in connection with the death of Sophia Szymanowski, a servant in his house, last Tuesday. She was shot while near the house.

The VALUE OF CHARCOAL

Few People Know How Useful It is in Preserving Health and Beauty

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when properly prepared and taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better, it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking and after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels, it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges, they are composed of the finest quality Willow charcoal powdered to extreme fineness, then compressed in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being sweetened to be smooth and palatable.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

Many physicians advise Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges to patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat. They are also believed to greatly benefit the liver. These lozenges cost but thirty cents a box at drug stores, and you get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets.—Advertisement.

Cocoanut Oil Makes A Splendid Shampoo

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and entirely greaseless) is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply put two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water, then moisten your hair with water and rub the Mulsified in. It will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces will last everyone in the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulsified.

Loosen Up That Cold With Musterole

Have Musterole handy when a cold starts. It has all of the advantages of grandmother's mustard plaster WITHOUT the blister. You just apply it with the fingers. First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then comes a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief.

Made of pure oil of mustard and other simple ingredients, Musterole is recommended by many nurses and doctors. Try Musterole for bronchitis, sore throat, stiff neck, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, croup, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back or joints, sore muscles, sprains, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest. It may prevent pneumonia and "flu." 35c and 65c, jars and tubes.

Better than a mustard plaster.

MUSTEROLE WITHOUT BLISTER

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DRINK WATER IF BACK OR KIDNEYS HURT

Begin Taking Salts Whenever You Feel Backachy.

Too much rich food forms acids which excite and overwork the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Flush the kidneys occasionally to relieve them, else you may feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, the stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges.

To help neutralize these irritating acids begin drinking water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine and disorders disappear.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to help prevent serious kidney disorders.

By all means, drink lots of good water every day. Have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

PROPOSE MERGER OF ALL EDUCATIONAL BOARDS INTO ONE ADMINISTRATIVE BODY

MADISON, Wis.—By the Associated Press.—Consolidation of the various state educational boards into a single administrative body, charged with directing the entire school system of the state, is soon to be proposed to the 1923 legislature, if present plans of educational leaders are carried to a conclusion.

A bill is now in the course of preparation which calls for abolition of the board of university regents, the board of normal school regents, the state board of education, and the state board of vocational education, and the substitution of a general state board of education, the membership of which would be appointed by the governor.

This proposal is actively backed by Judge Charles D. Rosa of the tax commission, and may be introduced into the legislature by Speaker John L. Dahl, Barron county, the leading La Follette representative in the lower house.

Will Start Hot Fight

Introduction of this bill, and the move of Milwaukee to require the board of normal regents to reinstate college courses in normal schools, will precipitate a fight of unprecedented intensity among educators of the state, leaders here assert. It would bring another fundamental problem before the legislature for consideration.

The first attempt to consolidate the various boards now directing the educational activities of the state, was made by Governor E. L. Philipp in 1915 and created a bitter fight in the legislature. At that time the proposal was defeated through amendment to the original bill.

Now a second attempt is planned. Such a move was started in 1921 by Senator George B. Skogmo, but it was allowed to fail without serious consideration.

Under terms of the bill being drawn, a general board of education, composed of two appointive members from each congressional district, together with the superintendent of public instruction and the governor, is proposed. This board would have direction of the university, normal schools, vocational schools and common schools under its power.

Would Unify School System

Its sponsors declare that such a plan would give unity to the educational system and make its direction more satisfactory. They say that the present multiplicity of boards creates confusion and prevents proper coordination and advancement of Wisconsin education.

A bill will also be introduced soon, it is believed, calling for a return of college courses in normal schools. The board of normal regents last July ordered these courses discontinued. A storm at once rose in Milwaukee where the college training has taken a prominent place in the curriculum. This fight is now being pressed before the legislature by Milwaukee interests headed by Carrol G. Pearse, former president of the normal school in that city.

Two other educational proposals of marked importance are in the course of preparation. One of them is the administration measure calling for transfer of funds from the educational bonus fund and the service recognition fund to a fund for rehabilitation of disabled war veterans. The other calls for use of returns from the state inheritance tax to create a state educational fund. Both will be brought before the legislature soon.

CUT FREIGHT RATES

KANSAS CITY.—Reduction of freight rates on the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad was announced in a letter received by Grey Thompson, General Freight Agent of the company.

ESTIMATE INVASION COSTS

BERLIN.—French occupation of the Ruhr cost approximately 374,000,000 marks in supplies furnished by the German officials, figures showed.

Scientific experiments prove that when one swims in the sea, his body energies increase seven times above his resting record.

Americans are the heaviest consumers of sugar in the world.

EVENING PROGRAM PUT ON BY RADIO STATION AT U. W.

University Station Extends Service With Educational Lectures at Night

MADISON, Wis.—Farmers will be able to listen in on the daily educational and agricultural lectures of the university radio station after their chores at night.

This was the announcement given out by the university Wednesday. The night service will be that that was sent out formerly at noon. With the shifting for the time of broadcasting the station expects to serve a larger number of homes. The time signals and weather reports will be given at noon as usual. Monday and Thursday nights the educational lectures will be followed by the U. S. government agriogram on 485 meters.

The program for the balance of the week includes: "Food, Nutrition, Health," by Prof. H. T. Parsons, department of home economics; "Indoor and Outdoor Sports for Women at the University of Wisconsin," Miss Blanche M. Trilling, director of the women's gymnasium; Author's readings of poetry by Prof. W. E. Leonard, English department; "Proposed and Needed radio Legislation" by Prof. C. M. Jansky, University extension division.

Liquid carbon dioxide is used extensively in fighting coal fires.

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OUTBREAK OF INFLUENZA GROWS MORE SERIOUS

Epidemic Conditions Again Threaten Danger to Thousands

Gain Strength to Resist the Germ by Taking Father John's Medicine.

Health authorities say that an epidemic of influenza is now threatened in many sections of the country and the need for caution is greater than ever. The disease appears to have really come back and while doctors urge calmness, they admit that the danger is everywhere present and every safeguard should be taken.

Your greatest danger from the germ is when you are tired or run down. In this condition your system is unable to fight off the disease germ and you need a strengthening food tonic such as Father John's Medicine to rebuild your resisting power. The pure food elements of Father John's Medicine make new strength and fighting power.

If you catch cold your danger is even greater because colds quickly develop into grip or pneumonia.

Every home should keep Father John's Medicine on hand during this time of danger because it is the logical, safe remedy for colds. Its soothing elements heal the irritated lining of the breathing passages; its gentle laxative effect drives out impurities and its strengthening elements are of great value. Guaranteed absolutely free from alcohol or any dangerous narcotic drugs in any form. Father John's Medicine may be taken with safety by every member of the family.

The danger from cough or cold "cures" containing morphine or opium in any of its disguised forms is especially great at this time because these narcotics weaken the patient, depress the heart action and open the way for more serious illness.

Both Have Lovely Hands

yet—One woman does every bit of her own work, while the other has a personal maid, a cook and butler and never goes inside the kitchen!

Pretty white hands for housewives. A new idea in household soap.

Since the beginning of time, soft white hands have been accepted as the mark—*of a lady*. This may be a blunt way of putting it. But we do so to bring the point home.

Three out of four American housewives suffer the handicap of ugly red hands from the use of strong household soaps in dishwashing, laundry and other housework. Noted chemists have long sought a household soap having effective cleansing qualities, but sparing of women's hands and clothes.

At last—a utility soap harmless to hands

We examined 28 popular brands of laundry soap and found "filler" in 27 of them. This "filler" in most cases is silicate of soda, or what is commonly known as "water glass." The use of this ingredient in soap is invariably accompanied by an excess of caustic, which destroys the skin texture and ruins clothes.

After years of effort we have perfected a perfect household soap. It contains no "filler." It is made with olive oil combined with other effective cleansing ingredients. Mild as a toilet soap, yet it has wonderful cleansing qualities. This soap we have called GREEN ARROW.

Are your hands worth 5c a month?

Green Arrow Soap costs a bit more than laundry soap. But it is pure soap all through. Hence it lasts twice as long. We know if you will use it, and figure your soap, not by the cost per bar, but by the cost per month, you will find Green Arrow costing only 5c to 6c more per month. And lovely, soft hands will be yours.

Just try Green Arrow one week. Then note how pretty your hands. Your grocer has Green Arrow.

Why Tell the World you do your own work?

Rough, ugly hands tell a story to the world. A story of the kitchen, the laundry, the scrub bucket.

Most women do housework. But few want to tell it to every chance acquaintance.

Most laundry soaps contain 25 to 50% water glass. This adulterant, technically known as silicate of soda, is invariably accompanied by an excess of caustic. It is this "filler"—not soap—that ruins hands. Green Arrow is made with the precision of a toilet soap and is *pure soap*.

Now you can have white and lovely hands regardless of how much kitchen work you do.

For your hands and your clothes sake, go to your grocer and insist on buying GREEN ARROW.

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CALL UPON ME

CALL upon Me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify Me.—Psalms l: 15.

Can You Invent?

EVER try to invent anything? Or dream you invented something that made the dollar bills come down like paper snow in an old-time Lincoln J. Carter melodrama? Well, then, you would find it interesting to attend the international exposition of inventions to be held in New York City at the Grand Central Palace, February 16-23. Advance notices of the unique devices that will be exhibited make us marvel at the vast resourcefulness of the human mind. One inventor has an automatic typewriter eraser. Another has a mechanical chimney-sweep. About everything possible seems to have been attempted by the exhibitors. One fellow even promises to bring an "airplane barge"—if there's a big enough door to get it into the building.

Auto shows, by charging admission, introduced something new into the business world—making people pay to look into the show windows. Who knows but what the idea will develop until the public has to pay admission to get into stores? We hope the inventors charge sufficient entrance fee to provide a nest-egg for each of them. An inventor usually needs it. As a rule, the profits from an invention are reaped by the people who create a sales market. Emerson said that if you make a better mouse trap the world will beat a path to your door. That was fine big talk. But it was hokum—as every inventor learns when he starts trying to market his invention.

A good feature of this New York exposition is that it will bring together the inventors and the men with idle capital who are looking for something to promote. Henry Ford, recalling the trouble he had getting capital interested in his "gasoline buggy," will sigh and wish there'd been such a get-together meeting when he was a young man.

Your Simon-pure inventor used to be a jack-of-all-trades, with perpetual motion as his goal. He began getting more practical after Uncle Sam announced that he'd no longer even consider applications for patents on so-called perpetual motion machines. Running our eye over the list of inventions to be displayed in New York, we are struck by the fact that—with only a few exceptions—the devices are highly practical in nature. It's a good thing that the great human inventive force is flowing along practical lines. Nothing we use is anyways near perfection. Most of our devices are not more than 10 per cent efficient. You are reminded of this when you notice that most of the furnace heat goes up the chimney. Perfection of a furnace that would utilize even three-fourths of the heat would be worth more to the Steam Age than a perpetual motion machine.

Salutations, you inventors! You are the leaders who are pulling civilization higher and higher. Your inventions make possible the existence of arts, higher sciences and personal leisure time.

Something for Nothing

A SCHEME for getting rich quickly occurred to Rafael Gonzales, of Orizaba, Mexico. He wrote polite and businesslike letters to American newspapers, ordering 50 daily and 75 Sunday copies to be sent regularly. The fishing was good, for Gonzales promised to remit $100 upon receipt of the first shipment of papers. The idea of building up a big circulation in Mexico naturally appealed to ambitious publishers. Maybe some of them wondered how many Mexicans could read at all, let alone read English print. The postoffice inspectors in Washington, D. C., have issued a fraud order against Gonzales, barring him from the mails. But Gonzales apparently got what he was after, for the official announcement from the inspector says: "Senor Gonzales has thus obtained large quantities of American newspapers for which he paid nothing and has doubtless realized no small revenue through their sale as wrapping paper."

Lately there has been a regular epidemic of frauds worked on Americans by swindlers in foreign countries using our mails. In the particular case of Gonzales, it occurs to you that a man of his ingenuity was wasting his time on a waste paper swindle. The same cleverness, applied to an honest and useful proposition, would make him increasingly rich. The criminal mind, however, seems to have a peculiar warp that makes the getting of wealth by crooked means seem the easiest way. On the law of averages, it is easier to get rich honestly than dishonestly.

You can picture Gonzales, sitting around for months or even years, rolling shuck cigarets and running his resourceful brain high-speed until he figured out his scheme. It is almost astounding, the extent to which human brain will resort to get something for nothing. In other words, to "get by" without honest, useful endeavor. It is true of swindlers. And it is true of most of us, especially the swindlers' victims. Wasting so much time, trying to get something for nothing, is what keeps many people poor. There's not enough time left for really productive effort. Day-dreams, unless curbed within reasonable bounds, have the same effect as chloroform.

Alchemy

SINCE the Dark Ages, scientists have sought transmutation, how to change one of the basic elements into another. That goal is finally in sight. In the research laboratory of Sperry Gyroscope company, chemists believe they have discovered how to change carbon into helium. They are checking up. Helium, which neither burns nor explodes, is needed for dirigible airships, destined to dot the sky by thousands. With scientists changing carbon into helium, you are not in danger of being laughed at when you suggest that one of these days lead will be changed into gold.

Destruction

OFFHAND you can rattle off the names of at least 20 military leaders who won lasting fame by destroying life and property. But what do you know about Edward Jenner? England, his native country, has been honoring the one-hundredth anniversary of his death. Jenner was the physician who discovered how to prevent smallpox by vaccination. This discovery, according to many scientists, has saved probably a thousand lives to every life destroyed in the last century by wars. Remember his name. Without his discovery, you might be dead now.

Rubber

WILL our auto owners, when they buy tires, have to pay part of the debt that Britain owes Uncle Sam? The English say so, and some in Washington think they're right. The world now uses 331,000 tons of rubber a year, 228,000 tons coming to our country. England controls 255,000 tons of the world's yearly output, and is putting high export taxes on it. This starts the threatened big trade war. We'd do the same, in John Bull's shoes.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Mrs. E. G. Perkins has returned from a few weeks' stay with friends in Virginia. From there she went to New York to visit.

B. Plunkett, Dublin, Ireland, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerrigan, 528 Mill street.

Robert A. Coney died last night at his home, 802 Caledonia street, after a short illness of pneumonia. He was ninety years old and was one of the oldest residents of the city. For forty years he was justice of the peace in the Fifth ward and previous to that he was supply man on the Milwaukee road here.

With the expiration of their contracts with the breweries April 1, the Brewery Workers' union of La Crosse will ask for an increase in wages before signing up for the next four years. The bottlers will ask for $2.50 per day, an increase of twenty-five cents. The teamsters who have been getting $17 and $18 will probably ask for $20. The membership of the union is nearly $400.

John McIver left today for Rhinelander to work in the woods the remainder of the winter.

To accommodate the rapid expansion of business of the National Gauge and Register company which was established by Mr. Edwin Hans in La Crosse three years ago, a new factory building will be erected next summer.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Dr. Owen Evans has opened an office at 717 Rose street as physician and surgeon. He is a graduate of the department of medicine at the University of Minnesota.

F. W. C. Folkers has decided to close out his business in West Salem and remove to Alberta, Canada.

J. S. Brown of West Salem, expects to leave March 1st for Michigan where he has purchased a fruit farm in the peach growing section of the state.

Frank Black, a small boy living in Hokah, saved Oscar Green, a seven-year-old companion from drowning in Lake Como by pulling him out of the icy waters at the risk of his own life. The two were walking on the ice when it suddenly broke, precipitating the Green boy into the water.

The annual pound social for the benefit of the Home for the Friendless will be held February 14th at the home of Mrs. J. S. Medary.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

John Fjelstad's new building at 1202 Caledonia street, has been leased by Mr. Johnson of Mindoro, who will open a dry goods store in the same about March first.

Mr. Strauss is contemplating moving the stock from his store to the Anderson block soon. Mr. Mulder will move into the Goddard building. The moves are made on account of the opening of a saloon near these gentlemen's present places of business.

Icemen report that ice in the Mississippi to be twenty-seven inches in thickness.

Charles Beyschlag is making a change in the lighting system in his store. Nine Edison incandescent lights will be used hereafter, with the Kurz and Amundson patent sockets.

The La Crosse Street Railway company has laid out plans for the new electric road which will be submitted to City Engineer Crosby and the board of public works for approval.

Abe Martin

Jake Bentley talks o' sellin' his farm an' movin' int' apartments an' investin' his money in tax exempt securities till he's able t' buy a pair o' shoes. Nothin' makes a well dressed woman as mad as t' time herself so as t' git t' th' picture after th' curtain goes up, an' then find th' house dark fer th' first act.

Something In the Air

By A. W. PEACH

When she came down the aisle of desks her cheeks rosy with the keen outdoors air, her bronze-tinted hair matched by her attractive street suit, Palmer thought to himself that she was the most winsome picture he had seen in a long time, and he wondered who she was, where she came from and what her business in the office might be; but mostly he wondered after the ancient manner of man, who she was.

He found out.

Ten minutes later he was called into the president's office, was introduced to Miss Faye Wilson by the brusque business man and told in so many words that she would take over his work while he was to go to the sales department.

It was a blow—so hard that Palmer fairly staggered as he returned to his desk. He had been three years winning his way to that desk and he knew beyond that position there was already advancement; in the sales department there was only a "dead man's" chance — promotion through the kindly passing away of some obliging individual.

Then to have that bit of brown girlhood calmly oust him. It was to much!

A few minutes later she joined him, not to have him explain how he did his work but to show her where he left it. It was a highly mixed few minutes. He found that he hardly knew whether to be cool toward her or not, but that matter was settled for him. Her eyes were long lashed and a darker brown than her hair, with a warm, soft depth to them that fascinated him.

He managed, nevertheless, to explain what he was doing at the moment, and he did it as cheerfully as he could. He could not help being a bit ungracious as he left.

"I'm sorry to go, but that is the way with you modern girls—you step into our places pretty easily!" he said trying to smile.

The graceful curve of her eyebrows arched a bit. "Perhaps so," was her enigmatic answer.

He was blue—plain, indigo blue for days. Now and then he met her in the offices and their tools were very cold, but he could not keep his eyes from following her just the same, so he was ready for the issue when one of the office men snapped him to ask her to a dance that week.

"He asked her in the morning and found himself anxious that she accept; but when she did accept he was disappointed. It would be difficult to keep a truce between them.

Then Fate took a hand in the game. After the dance in the dimly lighted hall of her home she spoke a bit breathlessly: "I wanted you to be nice to me because—because I am getting that work all tangled up. I thought I was trained to do it. But I guess I need help. If I bring some of it home will you—come?"

His sense of triumph vanished at her distress. Checking a queer impulse to take her brown slimness in his arms and comfort her, he quickly agreed to aid her. He went not once, but twice. After the work was finished she prepared lunches that made Palmer homesick with memories of his mother's ability in similar feasts.

Then out of the clear sky the lightning flashed. He was called to the president's office and he found her there, only pale roses left in her cheeks.

The president turned to Palmer with curt comment: "Miss Wilson has made a bad blunder, Palmer, that may cost us heavy. I am relieving her of her position——"

The curt voice went on, but all Palmer heard was the low, hurt cry of the girl and all he saw was her pale, stricken face. She was, in plain words, fired! And Palmer knew how much her earnings were needed in her home.

He cleared his throat. "May I see the papers Mr. Winn?" He fumbled with the papers the president handed him, then said quietly: "That error was made while I had the work sir. I am at fault."

Palmer heard her quick breath of relief; she probably thought he was speaking the truth. Mr. Winn was silent a moment—long enough to give Palmer time to remember that if he had let her pay the penalty for her error he could have his old work back, a thought that exploded the moment he looked at her, her brown eyes full upon him, with a tender light that burns only when the heart is touched with the mysterious glow of love. He knew then many things one the most precious of all.

"All right, then," Mr. Winn said in his short way of looking from one to the other keenly. "Miss Wilson, I beg your pardon. Please return to your work. Louis, you wait!"

As she left the office, her hand small and her with the strain, touched his as she passed, and the touch thrilled him from head to foot.

The door closed behind her. Mr. Winn turned, and his voice had a different tone than Palmer had ever heard.

"Young man you're a liar! Sit down!"

The "young man" sat down, looking up a bit fearfully into the keen, gray eyes of the older man and, seeing a faint smile in them, whereat he smiled also.

"And yet they say there's no romance in business," Mr. Winn grunted. "Palmer, I put you in the sales department because I am going to reorganize it and put you at the head. Startles you, eh? You were anxious to get back to your old job—sore because I gave it to a girl. Sometimes I think you are bright and sometimes I think you are a plain dumb fool! However she is no good on her present job, I imagine, though, she might—er—er be at home and efficient on another. You can guess what, can't you?"

Palmer's heart jumped. "I guess I can sir."

"Now if you will take her off my hands I will give you—er—two weeks' vacation with full pay and add—er—an appropriate gift or two. How about it?" From the keen eyes a friendly, fatherly pleasure was beaming. "Judging from what is—er—evident, she may be agreeable. Find out will you?"

Palmer was staggering again when he left the office, dazed by the quick turn of events. He fought to regain his balance? which Mr. Winn had upset decidedly. He went to her desk.

"Faye, I—Mr. Winn—hang it. Faye, I—may I see you tonight? No, I can't wait—look—" He seized a bit of paper and bent over. On it he wrote—"I love you."

Her brown head dropped near his arm and she wrote with trembling hand—"And I love you too."

And part of the office force knew that something was in the air—but that was all they knew.

A. W.

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Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

CHICAGO. — By the Associated Press.—The cost of building material will soar still higher this spring, although the present prices are greater than a year ago, M. T. Bannigan, president of the National Builders' association, said at the annual convention here.

OUT OUR WAY **BY WILLIAMS**

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

GO ON
BY BERTON BRALEY

Keep on a little longer,
Though the game seems gone.
It makes you spirit stronger
If you just keep on:
What if you're sick and stale, you've
Not all gone, I guess.
Keep on, it's thus that failure
Often brings success.

Keep on a little longer,
Why should you admit
That anybody's stronger
Than yourself—and quit?
Although your pep's diminished,
Why, the wise guy knows,
The game is never finished
Till the whistle blows.

When every bone and sinew
Seem to fail you, dat,
There's Something Else that's in you
Which is more than that:
There's a spirit that is stronger,
With a vigor strange,
Keep on a little longer,
And the luck may change!

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KILLS HIS FIANCEE

LAKOTA, N. D.—By the Associated Press.—Mrs. Edward Feldhusen, widow and the mother of several small children, was shot and killed here by George Roberts, to whom she was engaged to be married, according to police. Authorities were unable to give any motive for the shooting.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY CO-OPERATION NEED IS TOLD TO C. OF C.

Joseph Leopold of Iowa Chamber of Commerce Addresses Businessmen on Problems

Inter-relationship between the town and the country, why both need it and what it means to both the city and country dweller, was the topic of the address of Joseph Leopold, representing the Iowa State Chamber of Commerce, who was the speaker at the noonday luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday.

Mr. Leopold, by means of illustrated charts pointed out that the three main jobs facing the people of America today were first, civics, which concerns itself with the manpower of the country and its distribution, second production and third, distribution. Seventy-five cents of every dollar in circulation comes from the country, Mr. Leopold declared, and warned the business men not to neglect this phase of business.

A striking example of the co-operation between the town and country was given by Mr. Leopold in the case of the state of Arkansas shortly after the disastrous times following the big slump in cotton in 1914, the outbreak of the world war. Arkansas was a two-crop state, corn and cotton. In order to save the business man and farmer of the state several hundreds of spots were selected throughout Arkansas to experiment in diversified farming. Banker, lawyer, implement dealer, seedman all joined in the effort to put diversified farming on its feet. Mr. Leopold said with the result that in two years the farm crops of Arkansas were worth $38,000,000 more than they were the year before the slump in the cotton market.

"No Civics is dependent on the surrounding territory," said Mr. Leopold and any program of progress this city projects to carry out the ideas he has the courage to consider action is misplaced." Mr. Leopold then illustrated this point by telling how St. Louis in recent years discovered that the Chamber of Commerce was spending its money in developing St. Louis where one fourth of the goods produced in that city was consumed and ignoring the territory outside of the city that consumed all the rest of the produce. Efforts were bent on the adjacent territory to St. Louis with the result that a different spirit exists, more goods sold, relations have been made and maintained between the town and country.

Victor, in a small village Montana pulled itself out of the mud and almost overnight got enough civic pride to organize a chamber of commerce that in a short time virtually made over the town, according to Mr. Leopold. Paying a visit some months later to the same town, Mr. Leopold felt the place unrecognizable, he declared, so well did the city and country merchant and everybody in the town go out into the country to work on a road as it was named day" and the whole town was turning out on certain days to gravel all the roads in the county, which resulted in the celebrated "B. V. D. trail" Dalville, Victor and Deer River. That was co-operation or inter-relation between the town and country, Mr. Leopold asserted.

SHERIFF IS ASKED FOR AID—LANDS TWO MOONSHINERS

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.—As Sheriff O. A. Stevenson was driving out the ridge on State Highway No. 27 he came up to two men and a Ford with a flat tire. They hailed him for assistance. He stopped to help them and saw where they had set a jug down in the snow, so he hooed in the car and nailed the jug then showed them his star. They were very much crestfallen to learn, he says the sheriff. He told them to report to his office. They were Louis O'Brien and Henry Sprosty. The latter, who has been under guardianship, made a bee line for Canada, but O'Brien will probably come to town and take his medicine.

XYLOPHONE SOLO HIT AT RIVOLI

Urban Johnson, drummer with the Rivoli Solo Orchestra, is capably demonstrating that the xylophone was invented for the playing of good standard music, as well as jazz. His rendition of "Humoresque" by Dvorak, with a Chopin waltz as an encore, are deserving of the appreciative applause which they are receiving. Mr. Johnson is not only an experienced orchestra man, but has also had wide experience as a soloist, having been for several years a member of a most highly rated musical act which toured the entire Orpheum circuit.

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BRINGING UP FATHER

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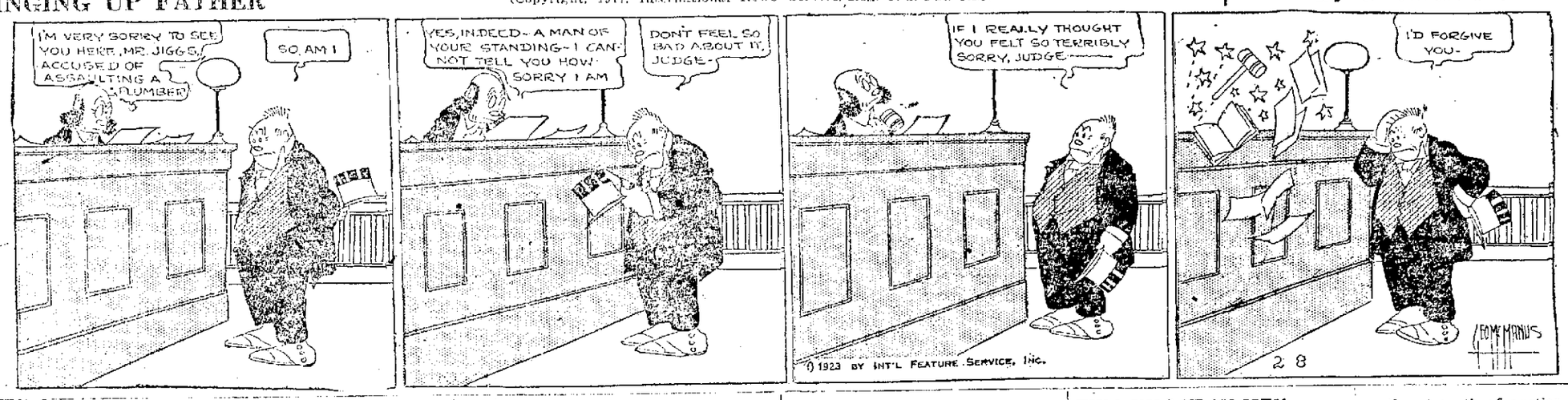

THE BRITISH DEBT

BY FRANK H. SIMONDS

WASHINGTON.—Assuming that the terms of the agreement over the British debt will be accepted by congress, its effect upon the general European situation becomes important. Already British policy in this respect has been clearly stated. Since the British are to pay its $4,600,000,000 in annual installments averaging some $175,000,000 approximately, Germany, France, Italy and Belgium will be required to pay this sum to Britain.

But France, Italy and Belgium have already indicated that payment of foreign government loans by them will be based upon payment to them of German reparations claims. The British on their side indicated that they would pack their demands upon Germany and their own allies to such payments as would meet American claims upon Britain. Thus the annual installment of $175,000,000 which comes to us from Britain will have to be found by Germany, in the last analysis.

Exactly the same situation obtains with respect to the seven billions of dollars which are owed to us by France, Belgium and Italy. These sums will only be paid provided Germany pays them in advance to our continental debtors. The single difference is that while the British have undertaken to pay us outright, without stipulating German advance payment, none of the continental states will consider to pay except as Germany pays them.

But the situation is still more complicated by the question of reparations for devastations. France, Italy and Belgium, in contrast to Britain, have war rains to rebuild as well as foreign debts to repay. They hold moreover that they are entitled to rebuild their ruins before they repay their foreign debts.

Roughly speaking, the cost of the reconstruction of ruins, which can be charged directly to German reparations is some nine billions, and a half dollars. Add to this the sum of European debts to the United States and one gets the total sum which will be demanded of Germany, namely twenty-seven billions of dollars. But the outside estimate of German capacity to pay is only a little less than half, say twelve billions at most.

To call an economic conference for the reduction of German reparations to the possible figure would lead to nothing so long as the United States holds that the allied debts must be paid in full, the British hold that the continental nations must find the money to pay British payments to the United States and the continental nations hold that Germany must find the money to pay for the reconstruction of ruins and the repayment of foreign loans.

The British would have cancelled both their loans to their allies and their claims upon Germany for reparations if we had cancelled our loans to them. Now they will not cancel and no ministry in England could live which proposed that Britain should cancel what was owed her while paying what she owed.

But the French situation is not different. If the British and Americans had been ready to cancel what they had loaned France, France was ready to deduct this amount from her claim against Germany, but not otherwise. The same is the case with Italy and with Belgium. Of course the net result of all this is to make any reduction of German reparation to a possible figure totally impossible.

Since no reduction is possible France and Belgium will stay in Germany until the Germans surrender or collapse. If they collapse, France and Belgium have security, if they pay, France and Belgium will have reparations on their own terms and you may be sure the terms will include provision for foreign debts as well as for domestic restoration. The simple truth is that just as long as we hold Europe to the payment of debts, Europe is going to hold Germany to the payment of debts plus reparations.

That is why the British agreement, so far from contributing to stabilization in Europe has the opposite effect. It sends the British out on a still hunt for payment from their European debtors, it drives those debtors in turn into adopting still severer methods with their German debtor. The end is the ruin of Germany with the extinction of all reparations and debts, save possibly a portion of what the British owe us, for even if they try with every energy the British cannot pay what they have promised if Europe is wrecked economically.

Meanwhile you are going to have two sorts of recriminations. All Europe is going to hold the United States responsible for its ruin, because the United States by insisting upon the repayment of its loans has made the reduction of reparations impossible. The United States is going to hold Europe responsible, because the demand for too high reparations payments has led to the ruin of Germany.

In ordinary business a situation like this could be met by a scaling down of both reparations and debts, but the curse of the present situation is that both national and international politics are involved. As a matter of fact all statesmen know that Germany cannot pay 21 billions of dollars, they also know that this total cannot be reduced save as allied debts are also scaled down. But knowledge of the fact has no importance, because, politically speaking, the statesmen regard the scaling down as impossible.

Say to yourself that Germany can pay her creditors no more than twelve billions of dollars at most and that these creditors owe us over eleven billions and a half, while in addition they are fiscally bankrupt, unless Germany repays them nine billions and a half spent in the reconstruction and the problem of Europe and the world problem are absurdly explained. We shall hold our debtors, they will hold Germany. Germany both incapable of paying twenty-one billions and unwilling to pay anything will resist until she is overtaken by complete ruin.

Then we shall have a liquidation. Debts and reparations will disappear in the gulf, so will markets and foreign trade. In the end deflation is inescapable, but as things stand it promises to be violent in the extreme. As for adjustment, with settlement, the British agreement has no relation to either, rather it is a step toward further international economic anarchy and international hard feeling. And, unhappily, when violent deflation does come, as it must, it will not extend to international animosities which the debt question has stirred.

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THIS WILL EXPLAIN SOME OF THE POETRY WE READ

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The secret is out at last.

For those who have torn their hair and cussed a blue streak at what the modern magazine editor has termed "poetry," the secret means a lot.

America will never produce a world famous poet until the women again start to wear corsets. The free and easy dress of the present day is all right as an inspiration of snappy stories, but it takes suffering and a silhouette to give the sonnet writer a chance.

At any rate, that is what Leon Bakst, noted Russian designer, has to say on the matter. His theories may explain some of that "poetry."

NEW ULM DEBATERS WIN

SPRINGFIELD, Minn.—The New Ulm high school debating trio won from Springfield high school here Friday night, Sherburn and New Ulm will contest for the championship of the Second Congressional district at New Ulm, February 16.

PROBE COLLEGE FIRES

WESSINGTON SPRINGS, S. D.—Three attempts have been made in the last few days to burn the boys' dormitory at Junior college. Two were made in one night. After an investigation it has been decided that the dormitory is housing a pyromaniac and a thorough probe has been ordered.

TWO YUCATAN MEN ARE HELD ON LIQUOR CHARGE OVER RIVER

CALEDONIA, Minn.—Sheriff Abbotts and Deputy Rank returned from Yucatan with two more guests for Hotel de Abbotts in the persons of Edward Ellefson and Homer Peterson, both having been arrested, charged with the selling of moonshine.

Although no liquor could be found on their premises a warrant charging them with the crime was sworn out on the strength of parties testifying that they had purchased liquor from them. At a hearing held here both men pleaded not guilty and were bound over to the District Court. Bonds were fixed at $1000.

ITALIANS ADVANCE

ROME.—By The Associated Press.—An official communique on the Italian military operations near Homs, Tripoli, says that the Italians advanced in three directions, taking two towns. Fifty natives were killed and as many captured, according to the communique, which put the Italian loss at a few wounded.

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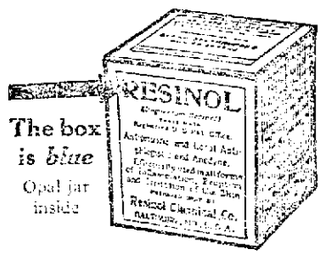

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Into a pint bottle, put 2½ ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and healing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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You can have a free trial package by sending name and address to Pyramid Drug Co., 625 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

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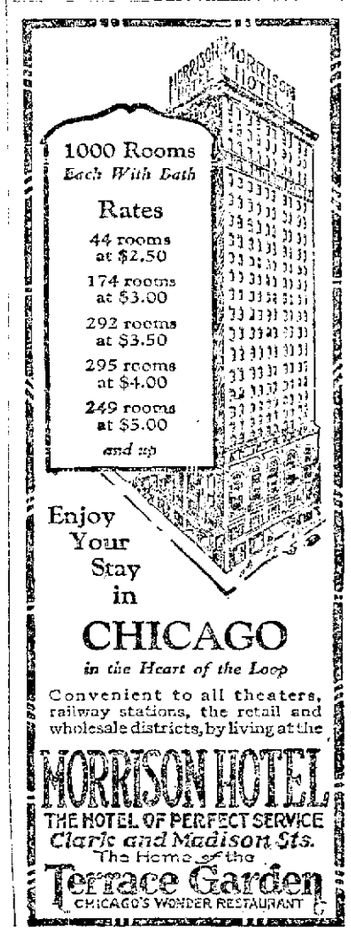

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Wisconsin Alumni Banquet Saturday Held At Chamber

Peppy Program Promised at Get-together of All Who Have Attended U. of W.

A real get-together of Wisconsin alumni will take place Saturday evening. The annual banquet of the Wisconsin Alumni club is to be at 6:30 o'clock on February 10, at the Chamber of Commerce, and anyone who has ever attended the University of Wisconsin is urged to come.

John P. Doherty will give the principal talk on the duties and responsibilities of university men and women. The dinner will be featured by songs led by Mrs. Robert Whelpley. Harold Oyen promises some peppy yells as cheer leader.

If you have attended the university and have not made your reservation for the banquet, call Martha Skaar at 2063-C and arrange to get your ticket.

Local News

Dance, Yeomen hall, tonight. Root's orchestra. Given by Dahl Fords baseball club. Callaway's Novelty Boys, Saturday, dancing 9 to 1. Popular prices. Dean's Banjo Band of Cresco, Ia., Sunday.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.

Ask Fourth Building Association how to get $126 a year for $10 a month.

R. S. Cowie is in Clear Lake, Ia., on legal business.

R. N. A. Card party, K. P. hall, Friday p. m., is postponed.

Call C. Anderegg, 1711 M, for coal. 6x2 egg, a car on track to be unloaded by Saturday night.

Captain Lyman Dwight of Milwaukee, who came here to attend the funeral of General Orlando Holway, was a guest of Mrs. Dwight's grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Heiberg, 226 North Seventh street during his stay in the city.

Ask For Spang's Candy.

Learn shorthand and typewriting at the Keefe Business College, and a good position is yours. Rapid dictation, accurate transcription, correct grammar and punctuation are the requisites of a stenographer who earns from $20 upwards weekly. Anything less would mean a smaller salary. We graduate experts. New classes for day and evening are now forming. Call, write or telephone for further information.

Dean's Banjo Band of Cresco, Iowa, will play at Concordia hall, Saturday, Feb. 10. Novelty Dancing class. Dancing 8:30 to 2:00.

Osteopathy. Dr. Jorris Newburg Bg.

Hard Time party, Frohsinn Singing society, Friday, Feb. 9, Pioneer Gym. Admission free.

The regular monthly meeting of the common council will be held Friday night.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Rivoli Bg.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.

Miss Etta Reinhard, who has been attending the Keefe Business College, has accepted a position in Mr. Emmert's income tax office.

Phone 170 before 6 p. m. for baggage calls. Gateway City Transfer Co.

Mr. J. C. Jensen, manager of the Men's Clothing Department of the Wm. Doerflinger Co., has gone to Chicago on a business trip.

Income tax accounting. W. H. Montgomery, 521 State Bank Bldg.

Come here for differently, yet very neatly designed Apron Dresses. Our prices will save you money. A. H. Voss, 7th and Farnam.

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Home Bakery open Friday, Feb. 9. 1061 Redfield St.

An application for a marriage license has been made by Emil A. Pechtager of La Moille, Minn., and Irma L. Hengel of La Crosse.

Meet your husband with a smile. When he asks why tell him you saw the Liberty Electric Vacuum Cleaner, how easily it works, how thoroughly it cleans, and he'll buy you one to keep you smiling. W. H. Gagnon, local Manufacturer's distributor, 117 Rivoli Bldg. Tel. 188.

Plumbing as it should be done. W. F. Schram, Phone 46.

Committees on administration, supply and purchase and ways and means will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the city hall to consider all matters in the hands of the committee.

Otto W. Ratz, plumbing and heating. Call 2342-M.

Dance, Feb. 11, Bloomer's Mills. Gray's Harmony Artists.

Chiropractors, Rishmillers, Palmer graduates, 410 Linker Bldg.

Richard Kleinsmith of Onalaska has returned from the State Corn and Grain Show held at Madison. Mr. Kleinsmith was again awarded first premiums on his barley and oats exhibited there.

Try Hoeschlers First.

Governor's Guards Rink. No skating tonight; 12 boxes candy given away tomorrow night.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the West Avenue Methodist church meets Friday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. M. R. Philpott, 915 West Avenue South. Mrs. T. J. Beaser will be the leader of the program.

Wanted, $30,000 to loan on La Crosse real estate in amounts of $1000 to $3500 at 6 per cent. B. H. Volz, Newburg Bldg.

Examinations will be held at the postoffice building here March 1 for janitor of that building. The job pays $720 per year plus a bonus of $240, making $960 total income. Applicants must show that they have had at least six months' experience as janitor. Information regarding the filing of applications for this position will be given by Oscar F. Paulson at the postoffice.

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FRIEND OF WORKING GIRL SUCCEEDS HUSBAND IN CONGRESS

By GENE COHEN

Working girls of America have a "lady friend" in congress now—an ex-member of their sisterhood of toil.

And politics has something entirely new in the election of Mrs. Mae Ella Nolan to the seat of her husband, the late Congressman John I. Nolan of California.

Voters of the 5th California district have declared the wife of a public official, who has kept in touch with his affairs, should succeed to office. That was the direct issue in the campaign.

"They have not elected me, so much as they have declared in favor of the work my husband was carrying on when death took him," is Mrs. Nolan's attitude.

"I was a working girl when I married John. I know what work is. That's why my heart is with the working people, the girls, the child laborers, all the masses.

"I favor light wines and beer. You see, I'm a liberal. Every one knows John was."

President Harding may have originated the "front porch" campaign, but Mrs. Nolan introduced the "front parlor" campaign.

She made no speeches, appeared at no meetings and met interested people only in her home.

The campaign was conducted entirely by friends of her late husband.

MRS. MAE ELLA NOLAN

Society

TWELVE GUESTS ENTERTAINED AT LUNCHEON PARTY

A DELIGHTFUL little affair was given on Tuesday when Mrs. Homer C. Hart was hostess to a dozen guests at luncheon at her home, 523 South Sixteenth street, in compliment to Mrs. Davis Austin and Mrs. Mary Austin, who are making preparations to leave soon for Chicago. Places were laid for twelve. The beauty of the table was enhanced by yellow jonquils.

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THE SENATE club will hold one of its pleasant series of dances Friday night at Elk's hall.

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MRS. B. F. Holmes, 225 South Ninth street will entertain the members of the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

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MRS. ARTHUR Krakow and little son, Arnold of Columbus, Wis., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Tessmann and Mrs. H. J. Hoelzer of Farwell street. The ladies are sisters.

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MRS. FRANK Ziegelman of Portland, Ore., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. John W. Taylor, 823 Caledonia street. Mrs. Ziegelman resided in this city eighteen years ago.

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A SIX O'CLOCK prenuptial dinner and shower was given in honor of Miss Julia Biermann Monday evening at the recreation hall of the Pearl Button company. Places were laid for twenty, the table being featured in decorations of red and white. The place of the bride elect was designated by a miniature Kewpie bride and she was presented with articles of pyrex ware. Dancing and games furnished the entertainment. In the party were the Misses Marie Ehler, Margaret Bott, Olga Larson, Margaret Stuber, Lillian Falk, Florence Martin, Jessie Coster, Margaret Muller, Anna Pollock, Margaret Pitz, Irene Jungen, Lucille Moots, Thelma Moore, Volga Ott, Esther Heninger, Rosetta Patz, Elsie Zebrecht and Carrie Biermann.

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THE LADIES' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will not hold its regular meeting Thursday evening on account of its annual ball which is to be given Friday night, February 9th, at Union hall.

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THE MISSES Josephine and Arnegard Strom will entertain the members of the Ibsen club Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Regina Stavrum, 1122 King street.

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THE LADIES' Aid society of the Caledonia Street Methodist church will have its regular business meeting Friday afternoon. The hostesses will be Mesdames H. L. Partridge, Oscar Olson, George Osterhout, William Parker, Frank Pierce, Albert Oldson and Jacob Pieha.

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THE WILSON-COLWELL Relief Corps No. 2, will meet at its rooms in the court house Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

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MR. AND MRS. J. M. Stark, 1223 West Avenue South announce the marriage of their daughter Helen Florence, to Roland Franklin Diamond on Saturday, February 3, at St. Paul.

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MR. AND MRS. Julius Osgard announce the marriage of their daughter Edna C. to Louis Larson of Viroqua, which took place Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. E. O. Vik performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie Renner, and Leslie Osgard, brother of the bride, was the best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home at which only relatives and close friends were present. The rooms were prettily decorated with a coloring of pink and white carried out, carnations and ferns being used in abundance.

The bride wore a handsome gown of ivory white satin and a veil, and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and stuvia. The bridesmaid's frock was of pink canton crepe and her bouquet was of pink sweet peas and stuvia. Mr. and Mrs. Larson left for their home at Westby where the bridegroom is engaged in business.

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ROY C. DAVIDSON has been at Chicago and Milwaukee for a short stay, visiting George Reay at the former place.

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THE MEMBERS of the N. B. B. B. O. Birthday club were entertained at the home of Mrs. J. C. Knebel, 2103 Loomis street, at its last meeting.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

In certain Indian tribes, the suitor for a girl's hand sends a friend to her parents with a string of beads.

If the match is suitable and the gift large enough, the beads are kept and the pair engaged. Otherwise, the string is returned or more beads are demanded.

The custom is not so general as it once was, but has not entirely disappeared, even among Indians who are nearly, if not quite, as highly civilized as their white neighbors.

STEAK A LA STANLEY

BY BERTHA E. SHAPLEIGH
Of Columbia University

To prepare a steak a la Stanley, take:

Two pounds chopped top of round beef, one teaspoonful salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, six very ripe bananas, one and one-half cups cream sauce, one-fourth cup grated horseradish, two tablespoons chopped onion and two tablespoons butter. Work the salt and pepper into the chopped beef and shape into the thickness of a large steak, heat the frying pan very hot, cook the chopped onion in it just enough to give a flavor of the onion to the meat, and panbroil the steak in this until cooked to desired degree.

While this is cooking, saute the peeled bananas in butter until soft and well browned.

Make the cream sauce by using three tablespoons butter, three tablespoons flour, one and one-half cups milk and salt and pepper, and when smooth and thickened add horseradish.

Place the steak on a platter, pour the sauce over it and garnish with the fried bananas.

CHARM

BY MME. IDA CHERNOFF

HOW TO KEEP THE EYES BRIGHT

The eyes deserve a great deal of attention because they are expressive of your individuality.

So you should keep your eyes bright, vivacious, sparkling and full of life.

To do this, of course, you must have good health.

Any stomach or liver disorder will affect the brightness of the eyes.

Much depends upon the condition of the mouth, for many stomach disorders have been caused by improper mastication of food and care of the mouth.

Of course we cleanse our teeth night and morning and visit our dentist at least twice a year, but many of us neglect to cleanse our tongues.

To clean the tongue daily is as important to the health as any other act of the toilet.

It is most necessary to scrape the tongue twice daily or to take a piece of white velvet and rub it over the tongue before retiring and immediately upon arising. Use a good mouth wash afterward.

Puffs around the eyes are usually caused from some kidney condition, and one should see her physician concerning any such condition.

You can keep your eyes bright by bathing them in the morning with a solution of boracic acid and warm water, putting this in an eye cup and rolling the eyes as you bathe them.

This exercises the eyes and, when they are tired, relieves the strain.

It is also a good thing to apply warm cloths over the eyes when they feel tired, lying down while you have the cloths on.

FRINGED PARASOLS

Fringed parasols are a novelty this season. The fringe may be heavy silk or may be wooden or glass beads. Sometimes a design is worked out on the fringe and the rest of the parasol is kept quite subdued.

BEADED GOWNS

Beaded dresses, though they have been done and overdone for several seasons, are still very smart. So are spangled gowns and those with designs outlined in pearls or wooden beads.

ABSENCE OF BLACK

The absence of black from the sartorial ranks is most noticeable this season. When black is used it is relieved by much white, or by very brilliantly colored peasant embroidery.

FLAT SILK CREPES

Gowns of rainbow-hued flat crepes, heavily embroidered in self-colored silk, are to be exceedingly popular for spring. They are cut on the very simplest lines.

FASHIONABLE

A suit of black and white mixture is trimmed with applique of old blue duvetyn, stitched on with silver thread. It has a blouse of old blue crepe de chine.

SPANISH SHAWLS

Spanish shawls, both in solid colors and with brilliant embroideries, are seen extensively at Palm Beach. The most lovely ones have extremely long, full fringe.

LINEN FROCKS

Linens for the coming summer are frequently embroidered heavily in self or in contrasting colors, or printed with Persian or Paisley designs.

EVENING WRAPS

Gorgeous evening wraps are made of shimmering gold or silver cloth, hanging very full from the shoulders and collared with white fox or white ermine.

RED CHIFFON

Red chiffon is a popular material for evening and dinner gowns. It is frequently trimmed with rhinestones or beads of the same color.

Top coats for spring show large plaids and checks in camel's hair, basket weaves, fleeces, tweeds and other soft materials.

State Club Federation Honors Leaders Of Local Organizations

CLUB WOMEN in La Crosse have been signally recognized in the seventh district of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. A. J. Eberhardt of the La Crosse Woman's club, is first vice president of the district, which includes west-central Wisconsin; and two members of the Twentieth Century club have been made committee heads. Mrs. D. O. Coate is chairman of the committee on industrial and social conditions, and Mrs. Lilla L. Finch, chairman of the parliamentary committee.

The Wisconsin Federation of Women's clubs is particularly interested in progressive legislation for women and children, and believes that the influence of women organized in clubs is very great. The questions particularly rife for the club women of the state are such as: Hours of labor; minimum wage; prohibited employment for children; children in street trades; compulsory school regulations; sanitation in places of employment; regulations for satisfactory lighting; approved seats for employes; and recommendations for the comfort and the physical welfare of workers.

The federation's program includes the inaugurating of Big Sister movements in the different cities and towns, in co-operation with the Y. W. C. A. where possible; and the promulgating of juvenile protective associations and Y. W. C. A. groups where they are not already organized.

The necessity of women keeping in touch with the social legislation in the state is emphasized by the federation, and the need of an organized effort on the part of women toward civic progress.

Let's Forget About Skirt Lengths and Waistlines and Do a Little Thinking About Accessories

While fashion arbiters fight out the matter of skirt lengths and waistlines, let us give thought to the matter of accessories.

After all, nothing else counts quite so much.

Taking for granted that already you have purchased your Deauville scarfs and had your blouses monogrammed, let us take up gloves.

If you stick to the regulation type of glove, it will be because you have conservative tastes, for there are many novelties.

Gloves used to be embroidered in black and white, but now roses, forget-me-nots and tropical birds are transplanted in their natural colors.

Cuffs are featured on many gloves, and frequently are in contrasting colors. A gray glove may have a rose or blue cuff to match a frock, or be lined with some brilliant color.

Fringe is noticed on many gauntlets, and beads, too.

In pumps, the colonial model leads, with the Spanish heel. Buckles usually cost more than the shoes. Those of brilliants and cut steel frequently flare in the shape of a high Spanish comb. They are apt to be any size.

On white satin pumps are rosettes of white lace. Brocaded slippers are trimmed with pompons of rose, blue or whatever tone predominates in the fabric. Ostrich pompons also are seen on delicate-colored satin pumps.

White sport shoes are of kid or buckskin, trimmed with pipings of black patent leather, black stitching, or inserts of black leather. Though usually they are strap models, sometimes they are adorned with tailored buckles.

In purses and handbags the novelty lies in the completeness of equipment. They contain everything a woman needs for the restoration of the complexion, yet they maintain a slender, envelope shape for the most part.

Tapestry and Paisley bags are more popular than beaded models, except for the very fine type of beaded bag, which is a staple, like the exquisite silver or gold mesh bag.

Frequently one finds a combination of figured material and beads, the beads outlining the pattern rather than covering it.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

GOOD MANNERS

Guests arriving at a public dance should greet the patronnesses with a friendly smile and word or two, as at a private affair, but it is not required that they should offer their hands to be shaken unless the patronnesses take the initiative. The guests may stay for a dance or two, or for the evening, as they please. On leaving, it is unnecessary for them to seek out the pratronesses to say goodby.

BLACK AND WHITE

Overblouses of white crepe or lace are effectively worn with black dull crepe costumes. The black and white combination is particularly effective this season when there is such a quantity of color shown, and so many figured silks.

VELVET COATEES

The velvet coatee is losing its tailored lines and severe effect and is being trimmed with braid and with ruffles of lace, which have a softening, flattering way.

STRAIGHT-LINE FROCKS

A smart straight-line frock of yellow moire is worn over a slip of satin a trifle darker in tone, and girdled elaborately with pearls a trifle below the natural waistline.

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21-Jewel 20-year Gold Filled Watch, bargain ---- $27.48
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Mascaro, regular 75c, at ---- 50c
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Bandoline, regular 35c, at ---- 19c
Henna Sans Pariel, regular 75c, at ---- 48c
Mermaid Greaseless Cream, at ---- 25c
Derma Viva Rouge, 50c, at ---- 39c
Double Compact Powder at ---- $1.00
Compact Powder, special at ---- 79c
Love Me Face Powder at ---- 69c
Sans Pariel Brillantine, at ---- 29c
Rhum Quinine Hair Tonic at ---- 48c
De Lux Henna Shampoo at ---- 15c
Sole Mio Powder, regular 75c, at ---- 48c

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SOLONS O. K. PLAN FOR INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

Huber Resolution Calling for Amendment to Constitution Passed 18 to 11

MADISON, Wis.—After an extended discussion, the Wisconsin senate Thursday adopted the Huber resolution providing for an amendment to the state constitution to establish the initiative and referendum. The vote was 18 to 11.

For the past eight years attempts have been made to get such a proposed constitutional amendment before the people, following their rejection of the plan at a referendum in 1914. This is the first success since that time.

Senator Timothy Burke, Green Bay, precipitated a fight when he charged that by making the amendment to the constitution more readily available, the progressives were endangering constitutional governments. Senator Huber and Quick defended the proposal on the floor.

Following is the roll call:

For engrossment: Senators Barber, Bilgrien, Cashman, Casperson, Carey, Gettelman, Heck, Hirsch, Huzer, Johnson, Polakowski, Quick, Ridgway, Schumann, Staudenmayer, Teasdale, Titus and Severson.

Against engrossment: Senators Burke, Czerwinski, Kuckuk, Lange, Mahon, Morris, Roethe, Skogmo, Werden, White and Benfey.

NOT REALLY WOMAN'S FAULT

"The Woman's Side of the Story" this should be called. From time to the beginning the haughty male has inveighed against the once so much meeker half and above all for her habit of being late. She was never late occasionally or off and on, or even most of the time. You could always count upon her being late. Some said it depended on the promptness with which you arrived, her tardiness being proportioned thereto.

But these were slanders ever. No she was late without exception. And she had her reasons.

"Man's natural habitat," says Genevieve, "is the street corner, the curbstone club. Woman's is the home. Man stares. Woman is stared at. Man blandishes. Woman blushes. A man can stand on the curb for an hour or more without embarrassment. But a woman is conspicuous, no matter where she is and a veritable eyesore when alone. In fact, I don't think it's too much to say that nothing is noticed so quickly as an attractive and unescorted woman. That is why, when she makes an engagement to meet you at a stated place, she is sure to be at least fifteen minutes late. It is all due to her dread of being compelled to wait and be stared at. Oh, of course, we love to be admired. But that's different. And safer."—Merrill Herald.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

The [illegible] was irregular. The market [illegible] the [illegible] Wabash and [illegible] Products, Chandler and Union Pacific caused reactions in a number of popular shares toward the close but [illegible] was sustained in other quarters. Sales approximated [illegible] shares.

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	78[illegible]
Allis Chalmers	[illegible]
American Beet Sugar	[illegible]
American Can	[illegible]
American Car and Foundry	[illegible]
Amer. Hide and Leather, pfd.	[illegible]
American International Corp.	[illegible]
American Locomotive	[illegible]
American Smelting and Refining	6[illegible]
American Sugar	[illegible]
American Sumatra Tobacco	2[illegible]
American T. and T.	[illegible]
American Tobacco	[illegible]
American Woolen	[illegible]
Anaconda Copper	[illegible]
Atchison	[illegible]
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	2[illegible]
Baldwin Locomotive	[illegible]
Baltimore and Ohio	[illegible]
Bethlehem Steel "B"	[illegible]
Canadian Pacific	146[illegible]
Central Leather	[illegible]
Chandler Motors	[illegible]
Chesapeake and Ohio	[illegible]
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	[illegible]
Chino Copper	[illegible]
Colorado Fuel and Iron	[illegible]
Corn Products	[illegible]
Crucible Steel	[illegible]
Erie	[illegible]
Famous Players Lasky	[illegible]
General Asphalt	[illegible]
General Electric	[illegible]
General Motors	[illegible]
Goodrich Mfg.	[illegible]
Great Northern pfd.	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]
Inspiration Copper	[illegible]
International Harvester	[illegible]
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	[illegible]
International Paper	[illegible]
Invincible Oil	[illegible]
Kelly Springfield Tire	[illegible]
Kennecott Copper	[illegible]
Louisville and Nashville	[illegible]
Mexican Petroleum	[illegible]
Miami Copper	[illegible]
Middle States Oil	[illegible]
Midvale Steel	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	[illegible]
New York Central	[illegible]
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	[illegible]
Norfolk and Western	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	[illegible]
Pacific Oil	[illegible]
Pan American Petroleum	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	[illegible]
Peoples Gas	[illegible]
Pure Oil	[illegible]
Ray Consolidated Copper	[illegible]
Reading	[illegible]
Rep. Iron and Steel	[illegible]
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	[illegible]
Sears Roebuck	[illegible]
Sinclair Cons. Oil	[illegible]
Southern Pacific	[illegible]
Southern Railway	[illegible]
Standard Oil of N. J.	[illegible]
Studebaker Corporation	[illegible]
Tennessee Copper	[illegible]
Texas Co.	[illegible]
Texas and Pacific	[illegible]
Tobacco Products	[illegible]
Transcontinental Oil	[illegible]
Union Pacific	140
United Retail Stores	[illegible]
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	[illegible]
United States Rubber	[illegible]
United States Steel	10[illegible]
Utah Copper	[illegible]
Westinghouse Electric	[illegible]
Willys Overland	[illegible]
Chicago and Northwestern	[illegible]
Maxwell Motors "B"	[illegible]
Consolidated Gas, New	[illegible]

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.22¾.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 74 to 74½c; No. 2 yellow, 74½ to 75c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 44½ to 45¼c; No. 3 white, 43¼ to 44c.

Rye: No. 2, 87½c.

Barley: 60 to 68c.

Timothy seed: $6.00 to $8.00.

Clover seed: $12.50 to $20.50.

Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$11.12.

Ribs—$10.25 to $11.25.

SHE'S MOST POPULAR MODEL

Anne Cartere, Cleveland, is known as the most sought after model in New York—and the highest-salaried one, too. Her services are much in demand among illustrators. She's been on many magazine covers—ever see her?

PEOPLE RESTIVE IN TOWNS TAKEN OVER BY FRENCH TROOPS

Occupation Authorities Taking Drastic Steps to Prevent Sabotage

DUESSELDORF.—Reports from the Wupper Valley where the French have occupied several textile towns, indicate that the temper of the civilian population is uncertain. At Elberfeld, which is surrounded by a troop cordon the people are highly excited, although the city itself is not occupied. Agents of the "committee for defense and reprisals in the Ruhr" are said to be operating among the citizens.

That the French are prepared to take drastic measures to prevent sabotage is evident from the order notifying the Ruhr Germans that all persons found damaging railroad property will be sentenced to death.

BAD MAN WANTED IN LOS ANGELES TAKEN BY TEXAS OFFICIALS

HOUSTON, Texas.—"Little Phil" Algrin, wanted in Los Angeles to answer to a charge of murder, is in jail Thursday morning at Angleton, Texas, after he was hauled from the Freeport Sulphur company's bunker Number 6 at Freeport. Algrin bears the reputation of a "bad man" along the border from Texas to California.

Work and Play

It is a mistake to suppose that play is the reward of work; it is merely its preliminary, and the country that cannot get its games going will not get much else going, either.—James Stephens.

BISHOP WEBB AT HOLWAY FUNERAL

Bishop Webb of Milwaukee, head of the Episcopal church in Wisconsin, officiated at the funeral of Adjutant General Orlando Holway in Christ church Wednesday. Chaplain W. F. Hood, Superior, of the 128th infantry and Rev. Robert B. Vinter, rector of Christ church, assisted in the services.

Bishop Webb was a classmate of General Holway at Trinity college in Hartford, Conn., and a warm personal friend.

AUTHORIZE OPENING OF SAILOR'S GRAVE IN JEWEL SEARCH

WASHINGTON.—Authorization to open the grave of James Jones, American seaman buried in a Brooklyn cemetery whose casket is reported to contain some of the crown jewels of Russia, was telegraphed by the war department Thursday to the quartermaster general at New York.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following deeds have been recorded with Register of Deeds Wacner:

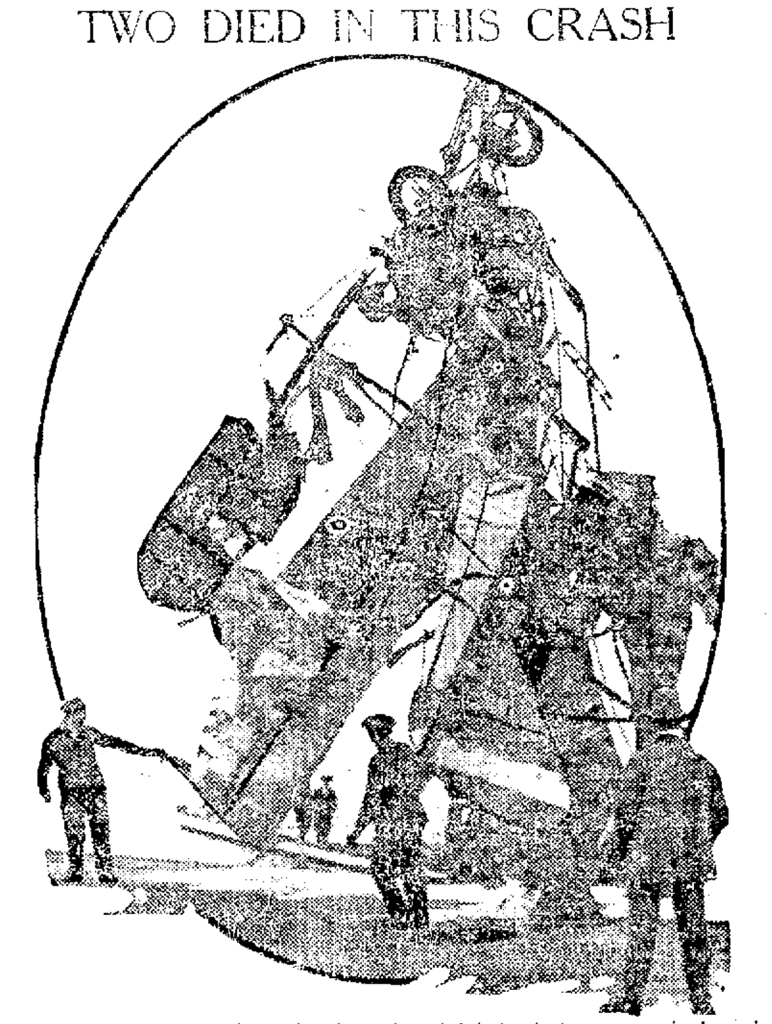
La Crosse Trust company to T. Kourisch for $430, Lots 109 and 110, Block 11, Salzer Terrace.

A. and Grace Olberg to Frank Liesgang Sr. for $150, Lot 2 Block 11 Michel's addition.

15,000 People Burned

Fifteen thousand persons lost their lives in fires in the United States last year.

TWO DIED IN THIS CRASH



Derricks salvage the twisted steel and fabric that was an airplane before Pilot Elmer C. Davis and Student Flyer William Trapper were killed when it plunged into San Francisco Bay.

BUILDING AND LOAN SECRETARY PARDONED BY GOVERNOR BLAINE

Milwaukee Girl Convicted of Embezzlement also Released by Governor

MADISON, Wis.—August Fons, Milwaukee, former secretary of a Milwaukee building and loan association, serving three years in the state prison for embezzling funds of the concern, was granted a conditional pardon Thursday by Governor J. J. Blaine. He is to conduct himself in a manner compatible with good citizenship and support his family as a condition to freedom.

An absolute pardon was granted Josephine Vander Elsen, an office accountant in Milwaukee, who was convicted of embezzlement. "The fact that she went back to her former employment and made complete restitution is sufficient for the lifting of the three year sentence of this girl," the governor said.

John Cibulka, Milwaukee, received a conditional pardon from serving the remainder of his one year sentence for abandonment. He is to support his family and be governed by the same regulations as though he were on probation.

WAR LOOMS AS ALLIES REJECT TURK DEMANDS

(Continued from page one)

Turkish demand that the allied warships leave Smyrna.

The British and French have sent a reply to Angora to that effect and warning the Angora government that the Anglo-French warships have been instructed to defend themselves if attacked.

A Reuter's Constantinople dispatch says that a second note has been received from the Turkish commander at Smyrna reducing the time limit for the allied warships to quit Smyrna from midnight Wednesday to sunset.

The allied commissioners after a conference are declared to have addressed a strong note to the Kemalist representative at Constantinople warning him that all responsibility for any act of hostility would devolve upon the Kemalist government. Similar warnings have been issued to local officials at Smyrna.

Fear Outbreak of War

CONSTANTINOPLE.—The near eastern powder keg is regarded as perilously near the fire.

The allied commissioners have warned the Turks that grave consequences would ensue if the Turkish guns opened fire from the Smyrna fortificiat fesnlrvpho-cmfwyshrdleta fortifications at the expiration of the ultimatum which orders allied warships to leave the harbor.

It was pointed out here that refusal of the allied ships to withdraw, as demanded, if accompanied by a Turkish cannonade or other form of coercion, would certainly result in a return volley or other proper response on the part of the British men of war.

Turks Might Gain at Start

In case untoward events in the Smyrna harbor precipitate a war, the Turks, it is generally believed, would gain considerably in the first stages of the conflict.

The British would have to refrain from boring deeper into Turkish territory, because that would necessitate the use of at least 500,000 troops, which would take months perhaps to transport from England and her colonies to the near east.

Although Britain has forces of soldiers at Chanak, Mosul, and other places in Asia Minor, these detachments are too small to be a match for the well trained legions of Mustapha Kemal Pasha. Greece, it is anticipated would come to the aid of England, as the Hellenic nation is still anxious for revenge because of the rout of her armies by the Turks last summer. Greece has a reorganized army of 70,000 in Thrace.

Involve Russia and Balkans

The great danger in the situation lies in the possibility that Russia, Poland, Roumania, Jugo-Slavia and Bulgaria would join in such a conflict.

OBITUARY

P. J. McGAUGHREN

P. J. McGaughren, Burlington railroad conductor, former resident of La Crosse, passed away in Minneapolis Wednesday. Mr. McGaughren's body will be brought to La Crosse on No. 48 Friday night. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the Dwyer funeral parlors and 8:30 from St. James' church. Rev. A. Murphy will officiate and interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

JEANETTE BILLINGS

Jeanette Billings, wife of Charles Billings, passed away at her home, 1305 South Sixth street at 1:30 on Thursday morning. Surviving is her husband and seven children, four sons and three daughters. Fred and John of La Crosse, William of Stoddard, and Pearl of Lansing, Iowa, Mrs. Orin Looper of Tripoli, Wis., Mrs. Harry Looper and Mrs. Henry Dingeldine of La Crosse, and four brothers. Funeral will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, February 11, and at 2:30 p. m. same date at the Methodist church at Stoddard. Interment will be made in Stoddard cemetery, Rev. Shanley officiating.

WIFE AUTHORIZED TO SPANK HUBBY WHEN HE DOESN'T BEHAVE

DETROIT, Mich.—Joseph Leszynski, 31, will behave for the next year if spankings and the continual presence in his home of a probation officer have the proper effect.

Mrs. Gladys Leszynski, his wife, proved to Judge Thomas M. Cotter Wednesday that she was capable of spanking him—had been doing it for a long time—and was instructed by the court to administer the punishment whenever she believed it necessary.

MANY BLIND PERSONS MADE SELF-SUPPORTING THROUGH EFFORTS OF STATE BUREAU

MADISON, Wis. — The State Bureau for the Care of the Blind has placed 140 sightless people in occupations where they are self supporting according to a report of the bureau filed with the governor today.

This group is making an average wage of from $12 to $18 a week, some are earning higher wages and employers have expressed surprise at the efficiency of new employes who lacked the sense of sight.

The report, which covers the work of the bureau since Jan. 1, 1922, was submitted by Miss Elizabeth V. McCarthy, Milwaukee, acting director.

According to the report the total number of blind in the state on Jan. 1, 1923 was 2,239. Of this number, 861 applied for aid during 1922 and the total paid in aid during last year was $102,475. In 1921, the total paid in aid was $93,745 and in 1920 the total was $94,545. Of those asking aid only 85 were under 35 years of age and 505 were over 50.

Under the law of 1921, which directs the work of the bureau the activities of the bureau are confined:

Three-Fold Activities

To rehabilitate such blind people as can by better supervision or training be improved to an extent that they will be capable of employment and become self-sustaining.

To bring about a system of education that will aid in the elimination of blindness.

To improve the living conditions of those, who because of their mental or physical condition cannot be rehabilitated.

To conduct its work intelligently, it was first necessary for the bureau to locate the blind in the state, which has been done as far as possible, and which work still is going on. The bureau has classified all blind found according to whether partially dependent, dependent or self-supporting according to age, nationality religion and with reference to residence in counties.

While locating the blind the bureau also discovered another line of important work, and that was locating and caring for both children and adults suffering from defective vision many of whom ultimately would become blind. This class has reached the total of 941, of which 602 are children and 339 adults. This class has been discovered principally through clinics held in Portage, Rhinelander, Nashville, Elkhorn, Chippewa Falls and Racine. This number will grow as clinics are extended. The bureau began locating this additional class on September 2, 1922.

Make Them Self-Supporting

The report of the bureau very strongly recommends that the state as far as possible, rehabilitate blind so that they may become competent and capable of employment, and thereby become self-sustaining. By making as many as possible self sustaining, the state thus will keep the number of dependents as low as possible.

One very important and successful feature of the bureau's work has been the making of blind persons capable and satisfactory employes. After blind are made ready to support themselves, the bureau encounters some trouble in obtaining employment for its charges.

Taught Many Trades

The following is a list of occupations in which the blind are at present engaged: Assembling screws, braiding in fibre factory, lacing and heel padding in shoe factory, massage, packing and wrapping candy, radio assembling sewing carpet rags, voicing and piano chipping.

Trades of blind are such as carpet weaving, chair caning, bead work, crocheting, house work, knitting, making chop holders, sewing and tatting.

The report of the bureau sets forth that clinics so far conducted are proving excellent means of preventing blindness, at the same time arousing communities to new interest in eyes.

In this connection, the bureau suggests that the present state law governing a county's power to act in indigent cases requiring immediate medical attention is not adequate to permit proper care; that counties should be authorized to send their cases to hospitals in nearby cities, where good medical attention can be secured.

The report takes up at length county and state aid for blind, saying, among other things, with reference to aid:

More Aid Needed

"Under the law which created this bureau the system of giving county aid has been changed, and we believe has been largely beneficial to the blind. Aid has been more widely distributed and money has been given to those who deserve it, and less and none to the undeserving. The state should not pay relief to a person simply because he is blind. In that case the millionaire would become just as eligible for the bounty of the state as the man who is penniless. In paying money to the blind, various factors must be taken into account and finally it is a question whether the money which is paid over is really going to improve the living conditions. That is the purpose for which the money is paid out and if that is not accomplished, the money is wasted and the burden of the taxpayer is increased without purpose.

"As the law now stands, the maximum amount of aid that can be paid is $150 per annum. For rehabilitation purpose the maximum amount is $300. For the latter purpose what the law gives is sufficient. But in the case where the blind person is aged and physically incapacitated, and if he has no relatives to contribute to his support, $150 is not sufficient."

The present bill before the legislature is to abolish the bureau. This measure, it is said, came as a result of misunderstanding of the attorney general's interpretation of the law governing state and county aid to blind.

WIVES OF RETURNED SOLDIERS BUSY WITH READJUSTMENT OF FAMILY BUDGET WHEN DOLLAR SHRINKS TO ITS NORMAL VALUE

SAVANNAH, Ga.—Some 400 soldiers who returned to America yesterday aboard the transport St. Mihiel from the Rhine and the families of 24 of the men were resting today at Fort Screven after a busy day here during which they paraded, feated and danced. The soldiers had just ended a two weeks voyage on the ocean.

Their fellow soldiers with whom they represented the United States at Coblenz as the Army of Occupation were early today enroute to Charleston, S. C. aboard the transport, where about 300 soldiers will be unloaded late in the afternoon.

The German, French and Belgian wives who returned with the enlisted men were expected to experience difficulty in arranging their households at the fort. Some of them have little household goods and most have none.

The vessel being too crowded much of the possessions of the soldiers were left at Coblenz or Antwerp.

The wives were also becoming acquainted with the poignant truth that a dollar is just a dollar and that a soldier in the ranks is paid but thirty of them each month. While some of the women dismissed as an annoying bugaboo the matter of rate of exchange in Germany, others appeared to regard the money question as having direct bearing on their future happiness.

The latter recited that when an Amerian goes to a motion picture theatre he spends as much for a ticket as a German pays a servant for a month's work.

FURTHER TESTS FOR CATTLE T. B. ASKED IN ASSEMBLY BILL

MADISON, Wis.—Retests for bovine tuberculosis under the area plan in Wisconsin was asked by Assemblyman O. H. Liebe, Chippewa Falls, in a bill introduced in the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature Thursday.

The bill, if passed, would permit the livestock sanitary board to cause any or all cattle in any county where the tuberculin test is provided for to be retested whenever the board thinks it necessary. An appropriation of $25,000 annually for two years beginning next July 1, is asked to pay the expenses of retesting.

To Be Greatest Reservoir

American engineers are at work on an irrigation project in Brazil, which calls for the construction of five large dams, which will form the greatest reservoir in the world.

BRITAIN REJOICES OVER BIRTH OF SON TO PRINCESS MARY

LONDON.—King George and Queen Mary are grandparents Thursday, and Britain rejoices with them. A son was born Wednesday evening to Princess Mary, the wife of Viscount Lascelles.

The little prince has already made something of a stir. All the morning newspapers "made over" to announce his arrival in the largest type they possessed. Pictures of all the family are printed, together with the minutest details of the life history of the baby's parents and their parents.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed

(A. Grams & Sons)

"Wingold" Flour, 98-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	$ 8.40
"Wingold" Flour, 49-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	8.60
"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	8.50
"Wingold" Flour, 12¼-pound paper sacks, per barrel	8.70
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.30

Mill Feed

"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound pound sacks, per ton	31.00
"Bay State" Std. Midds. in 100-pound sacks, per ton	31.00
Diamond "G" Lowgrade, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	37.00

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Miller-Rose Company)

Buter	45-48c
Eggs	30c

Fruits

Face and Fill Jonathans, per box	$1.50
Fancy Delicious, per box	3.00
Grape Fruit, per box	4.25-4.50
Calif. Navel oranges	1.25-4.50
Onions, pound	2½c
Oysters, gallon	2.00
Cheese, Twins, pound	28½c
Cider, Clarified, hf. bbl.	5.00
Bananas, pound	8c
Cranberries, 50 lb. box	5.00
Rutabagas, pound	1c
Bulk Dates, pound	9½c
Package Figs, box	3.50
Celery, dozen	1.15-1.40
Lettuce, per box	50c
Lemons, per box	6.75-7.25
Strawberries, quart	50c

Schams Bros.

Hogs	$6.50 to $7.75
Lambs	$7.00 to $9.00
Sheep	$3.00 to $4.00
Steers	$4.00 to $6.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $4.00
Cows	$2.00 to $4.00

Cheese

(Quoted by Henry Anderegg)

Full cream brick cheese	26-28c
Full cream block Swiss	28-30c
Full cream long horn	26-28c
Limburger cheese	27-28c
Hand cheese, per box	$1.25
American Twin	24-28c
Prim ost	10-12c

SAAR STRIKE SPREADS

METZ.—The strike of coal miners in the Saar Valley is spreading into Lorraine.

ASSEMBLY COURT BILL IS REPORTED OUT FOR PASSAGE

Would Present Continuation of Cases, and Bar Judge from Issuing Direct Verdict

MADISON, Wis.—Of the many bills by the various assembly committees of the Wisconsin legislature today, but one important one was recommended for passage. That bill, by Olaf C. Olsen, Milwaukee, and aimed to prevent the continuation of court cases, amends the statute so that a judge cannot take a case away from a jury and issue a direct verdict.

A number of bills by F. J. Peterson, Milwaukee, relating to various changes in elections were all recommended for passage by the Committee on Elections.

Two important bills before the Judiciary Committee are still in status quo. A labor bill, by Clinton Price, Juneau County, that would give persons arrested for contempt of court the right of trial by July was laid over for two weeks. John W. Eber's bill to memorialize congress to amend the constitution to provide for the election of federal judges for a term of ten years received a tie vote, with Assemblymen A. M. Warden, Washburn, a Progressive and Richard Elsner, Milwaukee, a Socialist voting against it.

Two bills by Lawrence Timmerman Milwaukee, relating to lights on motor vehicles and number plates were killed by the Committee on State Affairs.

A fight in the committee over an agricultural bill relating to the Bureau of Animal Industry delayed action on several dairy bills as well as the bureau bill.

HOME RULE BILL OFFERED IN LOWER HOUSE BY PRICE

MADISON, Wis.—A home rule bill as recommended by Governor J. J. Blaine to the Wisconsin legislature was introduced in the lower house Thursday by Assemblyman Clinton G. Price Juneau County.

The bill would permit county boards to abolish any office or position in the county except elective and constitutional offices. It would further permit the county board to fix the salary for all office holders under their jurisdiction.

BELIEF HAS A FOUNDATION

The seventh child of a seventh child (sometimes "the seventh son of a seventh son") is supposed to be gifted with the power of curing headaches and more serious ailments by the laying on of hands, and to have other magical powers. In other words, he is supposed to have a "gift."

Among the later discoveries in eugenics was that the younger children of very intelligent men inherited more of their father's intelligence than did the older children; or, as sometimes happened, that the children of a younger son were supremely gifted with intelligence. The reason for this—according to eugenic theories—is that talented men or women, like many others, usually marry when fairly young if they marry at all. The older children of such a talented man have therefore the tendency to inherit only what mental qualities he may have developed at that time.

But supposing that the talented man, as is usually the case, continues to develop amazing mental qualities, then if he has children when his brain is completely mature, those children will probably inherit their father's matured mentality; or if they do not inherit it, their children (the clever man's grandchildren) receive the inheritance.—Merrill Herald.

HONESTY IN THE ROUGH

"How much do I owe you, Doc?" a grateful mountaineer once asked Dr. Henry Drury Hatfield, former governor of West Virginia, when as a mountain doctor he rode twenty miles deep into the mountains one stormy winter night and saved the mountaineer's wife from pneumonia. Knowing the family's poverty, Hatfield half jokingly replied:

"Oh, just whatever you can pay."

"All right," replied the mountaineer, "the only thing I have is that old cow out there, but she's yours and I'll bring her in next week."

Hatfield was astonished a few days later to see the mountaineer walk up the road, leading the cow.

"Hello, Doc," said the mountaineer, "Here's that cow I said I'd give you."

He handed the rope to Hatfield and started away.

"Hold on!" shouted Hatfield. "Did you walk all the way from the mountains with that cow?"

"Sure," was the reply.

"Well," replied Hatfield, fishing into his pocket, "here's five dollars. Drive her back home again."—Judge.

His Grouch

"As the song has it, we are only poor weak mortals, after all." "Admitted," said Mr. Grumpson. "What I object to is the large number of persons with no other visible means of support who draw fat salaries for telling us how weak we are."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and B. L. F. and E., who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement.

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MRS. MARY REIKIE LONG RESIDENT OF MONROE IS DEAD

Highway Commissioner Millard Reports on Road Work Done in County

SPARTA, Wis.—Mrs. Mary Reikie a quaint old Scotch lady, died Sunday morning at the home of her daughter Mrs. William Pokrand, at Angelo, from her advanced years. She was formerly Miss Mary Hunter and was born in Fifeshire Scotland, in 1845. She grew to womanhood in her native country and came to the United States when she was 21 years old. She lived in Massachusetts for four years, and then moved to Tomah, Wisconsin. In 1883, she married Thomas Reikie. They lived twelve years on a farm in the vicinity of Tomah and then moved into town. Two daughters were born to them. One has passed away. The other is Mrs. William Pokrand of Angelo with whom the mother made her home after her husband died, in 1919.

Funeral services were conducted at the Pokrand home, Wednesday afternoon, by the Rev. E. E. Herth of Sparta. The remains were then taken to Tomah for burial beside her husband.

Emil Shultz, who is employed on the George Newton farm in Angelo, and Miss Vera Riewert, were married at Winona, Sunday afternoon, Feb. 4 at the Congregational parsonage, the Rev. Mr. Lee performing the ceremony. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Z. Babcock. The bride has been employed for some time as stenographer in the Produce Exchange.

County Highway Commissioner Charles Millard reports the following work done on the roads in Monroe County: 18 ft. shale roadway, 7 inches thick, from the Sparta City limits, leading to Leon. The gravel finish will be put on in the coming spring; one and a half mile shale road in the town of La Grange; one and one eighth mile in town of La Fayette, starting at the Dave Richard corner running west to the state trunk highway 27; nearly two and a half miles in the town of Lincoln; the road in the town of La Fayette, commencing at Pat Barry's and running north to the Lawrence school house, is nearly completed; a twelve foot roadway, by nine inches deep with three inches of gravel, from the Hogue school house leading from the La Crosse road through the notch into Big Creek, is being rapidly completed.

Rev. Wilber F. Tomlinson, district superintendent of the Eau Claire district and formerly pastor of the Methodist church in Sparta, was the speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis club held at the Hotel Sidney, Wednesday noon. His topic was "Education on the Ground Floor." F. Ryan Duffy state commander of the American Legion, was the speaker at the club last week. His topic dealt with the Ku Klux Klan and the Russian bolshevik.

A wedding occurred at the Catholic church Wednesday morning, Feb. 7 at eight o'clock, when Edward M. Fritsch, son of John Fritsch and Miss Christina B. Pulvermacher, were united in marriage by the Rev. Mr. Flock. They were attended by Miss Constance Pulvermacher, sister of the bride and Joseph Fritsch, brother of the bridegroom. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pulvermacher. The couple will visit for a time in Norwalk after which they will be at home at 812 South Water street, Sparta.

TOBACCO EDITOR DEAD

NEW YORK.—C. Fred Crosby, editor of The Tobacco Record, died in Brooklyn.

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BILLS ON WIDELY VARYING SUBJECTS CONTINUE TO POUR INTO BADGER LEGISLATURE

MADISON, Wis.—To curb high rent charges, Senator Howard Teasdale, Sparta, introduced a bill into the state senate Wednesday providing heavy penalties for landlords who charge unreasonable rentals.

His proposal establishes that an unreasonable rent is any charge in excess of 10 per cent of the market value of the property plus operating costs. The actual market value is set at not in excess of 120 per cent of the assessed valuation.

Any landlord charging rates in excess of the maximum would be fined $500 for each offense.

The Wisconsin senate sent to engrossment the Barber bill including women under provisions of the state Eugenics law. This proposal, accepted without a dissenting vote in the senate, would require that women submit to an antenuptial physical examination in the same manner as men, before being granted a license to marry.

A bill by Senator Titus providing that personal property in the state be assessed where that property is located rather than in the district where its owner resides, was sent to engrossment. Action on the initiative and referendum proposal of Senator Huber was laid over until tomorrow when a fight over the suggested constitutional amendment started to develop.

The most stringent legislation yet proposed on the control of automobile driving for the protection of the general public was introduced in a bill by Assemblyman Michael Laffy, Milwaukee, in the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature Wednesday.

Drivers of motor vehicles would have to pass an examination on the operation of an automobile and the ordinances of the city applicable to automobile operation, before getting a license from any county clerks of the state, who, under the direction of the railroad commission would act as licensing commissioners.

On each license stub would be the signature of the person, fingerprints and a dated photograph.

Before securing a license the operator of the car must be insured against personal injury and property damage that might be caused by his car.

The Duncan resolution introduced into the lowerhouse of the Wisconsin legislature Tuesday, requiring the tax commission to furnish the legislature with facts concerning the comparative tax situation in this and other states, was unanimously adopted Wednesday.

The resolution was an outgrowth of the controversy between Z. G. Simmons of the Simmons Manufacturing company, Kenosha, and Governor Blaine, over legislation which the company claims to place an unjust burden upon industry.

Assemblyman Duncan explained that he wanted the tax commission to show that the tax burden on industry in Wisconsin was lighter than in surrounding states.

Dance hall regulation by Wisconsin counties is asked in a bill introduced into the upper house by Senator Elden T. Ridgway, Elkhorn. His measure has the backing of social organizations and county boards throughout the state, as a move to block the growing vice menace of public dance halls in country districts.

Regulation through dance hall inspectors chosen by the county health committees is called for under the proposal. Its comprehensive provisions give the county board control over dance halls, amusement parks, carnivals, street fairs and bathing beaches. Heavy penalties are provided for violation of its sections, in addition to power to revoke licenses of amusement places.

Use of histories in Wisconsin schools which defame revolutionary war heroes or seek to throw discredit upon the aims and accomplishments of that war of independence, is prohibited by a bill introduced into the legislature by John E. Cushman, Denmark. Similarly any propaganda favorable to any foreign government would be barred from school books.

ORDER NEW STEAMER

SHEBOYGAN Wis.—A new steamship, 604 feet long and 32 feet deep, has been ordered by a steamship company here from a Toledo ship building concern. The boat will have a speed of 12 1-2 miles per hour loaded and will be completed about the middle of August.

PROTEST GUARD BILL

EAU CLAIRE Wis.—By a unanimous vote William G. Johnston post of the American Legion of this city, voiced an indignant protest against the bill pending before the Wisconsin legislature providing for the abolition of the National Guard.

OBREGON CAN'T COME

MILWAUKEE, Wis. — President Obregon of Mexico cannot attend the Wisconsin state fair because of his duties in Mexico, it was stated in a letter to officials of the local association of commerce who had extended him an invitation.

M'CORMICKS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK. Madame Ganna Walska and her husband, Harold F. McCormick, arrived from Europe aboard the steamship Olympic.

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"You can prepare at your own home. Here it is: Go to any grocery and get 56 cents worth of ordinary oatmeal and from any drug or department store a bottle of Derwilla. Prepare the oatmeal as directed in every package of Derwilla and apply night and morning.

"Before applying Derwilla the skin should be cleansed thoroughly. Use a good cleansing cream. Liska cold cream is excellent for this purpose. The first application of this combination will astonish you. It makes the skin appear white, transparent, smooth and velvety.

"I especially recommend it for tan, coarse pores, dark, sallow, rough skin, roughness, wrinkles and in fact every blemish the face, neck, hands and arms are heir to. If your neck is dark one application of this Derwilla-oatmeal combination will make it look as white as a lily.

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NOTE: To get the best effect be sure to follow the complete directions contained in every package of Derwilla. It is so simple that any one can use it, and so inexpensive that any girl or woman can afford it. The manufacturers and druggists guarantee that there will be a noticeable improvement after the first application or they will refund the money. It is sold in this city under a money-refund guarantee by department stores and all druggists including Hoeschler Bros.

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EKERN WON'T EXTEND TRUST PROSECUTIONS STARTED BY MORGAN

Office of Special Investigator Discontinued by Attorney General

MADISON, Wis.—Anti-trust work instituted and fostered by former Attorney General William J. Morgan, will probably not extend into new fields under the administration of Attorney General Herman L. Ekern, he indicated Thursday with announcement that the office of special investigator created by the previous attorney general would be discontinued.

Cases already docketed as a result of the activity of the Morgan administration, will be pushed to a conclusion by the state, Attorney General Ekern let it be known. The commencing of new actions will depend, it is thought, upon complaints that may be made.

To prosecute the tobacco cases now pending in the Wisconsin supreme court, Dan Grady of Portage was appointed today by Governor Blaine. He will act as special counsel for Attorney General Ekern.

The tobacco suit will be heard by the court early in April, and according to announcement from Mr. Ekern, it is not likely that the other cases will be acted upon until after this case has been decided. A suit against millwork bureaus and bakers, both involving the anti-trust statute, is awaiting trial.

STARTS ENDOWMENT FUND

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—An endowment fund for the St. Mathias Episcopal church, Waukesha, was started by a gift of $1,000 by Miss Bertha Weaver, according to the living church, the official organ of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Cuticura Heals Severe Itching Burning Pimples

"I was troubled with a breaking out of pimples on my face and arms, which later formed sore eruptions and spread. The itching and burning were so severe at times that it made me very miserable.

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RESUME SUMMER MEETINGS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The summer conferences at Racine college, suspended last year will be resumed for the summer from July 2 to 14, according to the living church, official organ of the Protestant Episcopal church.

The purpose of the conference is to train church workers.

A provincial committee from the synod of the mid west will be in charge. It is expected by officials that the conference will attain the same proportions that former conferences attained.

MORE BOYS BORN

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Boys outlisted girls in the annual report on vital statistics for 1922 in Brown county. During the past year out of a total of 998 births, 517 were boys, 481 were girls. Deaths were more prominent by seven, according to the report, which placed the total number of male deaths at 230 and 173 for the females.

SON OF CLEVELAND TO WED NEW YORK GIRL

NEW YORK.—The engagement of Richard Folsum Cleveland, son of Grover Cleveland, ex-president of the United States, to Miss Ellen Douglas Gialor, daughter of the Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Gialor, presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church of America, was announced.

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MOVIES

NORMA TALMADGE

Accustomed as we are to expecting great things from Norma Talmadge, admittedly the most popular actress on the screen today, each of her succeeding pictures reveals a new Norma. Such is the case with her latest production, "The Voice From the Minaret," which opened at the Rivoli Theater yesterday.

As Lady Adrienne, Miss Talmadge has been given a role that only she could play with such skill—so exacting is the range of dramatic emotions that it demands. One is enthralled by the scope of her talents and by the ease with which she weaves the spell of illusion which transports the spectator from the drabness of everyday life to romance land.

STRAND TODAY

A clever comedy-drama full of excitement and laughs is Metro's "Sherlock Brown" starring Bert Lytell, which is being shown at the Strand theatre.

Lytell plays the role of a serious minded young clerk whose one ambition is to become another Sherlock Holmes. Out of his meager earnings he saves money enough to take a correspondence school course in "detecting" and receives a nice new badge which is the pride of his heart. Despite the derision of the other inmates of his boarding house he is not to be denied his career and eagerly awaits the great moment—the opportunity to prove his ability as a sleuth, which finally arrives.

"THE FLIRT"

Advocates of the clean screen will find the year's best example of a sparkling story without one objectionable feature in "The Flirt," which begins its local engagement at the Majestic theatre on February 11.

"The Flirt" is Booth Tarkington's vivid cross section of American life, filmed with the thought to attain and maintain the highest moral and artistic standard of motion picture production" as expressed by Will H. Hays.

CASINO TODAY

Something new [illegible] in motion pictures has come with D. W. Griffith's latest film, "One Exciting Night," a United Artists release, at the Casino theatre today till Saturday.

Here is a treat. In the past years, many an innovation has come to the screen, but this latest handiwork of Griffith is different [illegible] thrilling [illegible] seems to have the power of [illegible] things. [illegible] the public will wonder why this amazing man has neglected mystery so long.

Romance! It trembles with it. And it shakes with laughter. There is a lift of suspense throughout that grows keener and keener.

"TRIFLING WOMEN" OPENS AT THE RIVIERA TODAY

Ramon Novarro, who plays the part of Ivan in the Rex Ingram screen production for Metro, "Trifling Women," now at the Riviera theatre, had a struggle of his own with the monocle that he wears in playing motion picture roles. But he finally became an expert, so expert that he feels qualified to rival a young English subaltern of whom he was told in war days.

The subaltern was given charge of a company of Australians to drill them. He came himself on the drill field wearing a monocle. The Australians, new to English officers, found the monocle a thing of humor. The next day the "Aussies" came on the drill field, each wearing his identification disc stuck in his eye as an eyeglass. They did not have much success in holding the discs in place. The officer took his monocle and twirled it in the air, catching it as it came down in his eye. "There!" he said. "When you rotters can do that, you'll be entitled to wear an eyeglass."

JACKIE COOGAN

The popularity of little Jackie Coogan in "Oliver Twist" continues unabated at the Majestic theatre, and the consensus of opinion is that it is one of the most notable contributions to the screen ever made and thoroughly in accord with the best interests not only of the American public, but of the American theatre.

In story "Oliver Twist" exerts a universal appeal, pleasing the children as well as the grownups, and attracting to the theatre thousands that are not habitually play or picture patrons. Thus the circle of Jackie's friends is being extended enormously. The combination of star, novel and author would seem to be invincible, if the experience of the local theatre's box office can be taken as an indication.

GERMAN HEIRS ARE SOUGHT

MADISON, Wis. Governor Blaine has been asked to help find a Rieder family, supposed to be living in Wisconsin and who have inherited a fortune in Germany, according to expressions in a letter received by the executive. The letter from Herne-skeit, Germany signed by Johann Jax, asks for the address of Peter Rieder, Johanna Mel, nee Rieder, as well as children of the deceased Anton Rieder and his wife Katherine, nee Jax. Their brother is reported to have died, leaving them a fortune.

YEAR FOR BICYCLE THEFT

SPRING VALLEY, Minn. Frank Wilson, who resides in York township pleaded guilty to having stolen a bicycle and other small articles. He was sentenced to one and one half years in the penitentiary at Stillwater.

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Can You Read Between the Lines?

"You know, Wade, I'd never have come to you if you hadn't just utterly conquered me?"

?

"I'll tell you, boys, that girl's dangerous! If I were you, I'd leave her alone!"

!

"We won't tell anybody . . . this will be our little secret, dear."

! !

The one great moment in her life had come!

?

She was a liar (and beautiful)
She was a hypocrite (and kissable)
She was a tyrant (and adorable)
She was a cheat (and bewitching)

Yet no one lifted a hand against her—

WHY?

!

"Cora, Cora! Get up! Are you crazy?"

"Oh, get out! I don't want any help from you! I can take care of myself, I tell you: I don't have to marry you! I'd kill you if I could—you made a fool of me!"

?

"Laura! I have stood enough for one day. I will not be questioned, questioned, questioned! Let me alone! Get out of my room—and stay out!"

! ?

"Yes, father . . . it's true!"

! !

"But I've got to know where you are going—I can't let you go and not—"

?

"I understand, Laura . . . you mustn't cry . . . everything's all right now. And you didn't mean it . . . "

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HAVE you seen "THE FLIRT" in the 4-passenger enclosed Hupmobile (the car she wanted) on the streets of La Crosse, every day from 11:30 a. M. to 1:30 p. m. and 4:30 to 6:15 p. m.?

FARMER RELEASED TO GO HOME AND CARE FOR STOCK

Dumb Animals and Innocent Parties Suffering Most from His Imprisonment

MADISON, Wis.—To enable him to go home to take care of a pure bred percheron stallion that hasn't been out of the barn since September 29, Governor J. J. Blaine Thursday pardoned Edward Ehman, Pepin County farmer, serving one year in jail for manufacturing moonshine liquor in violation of the state prohibition law.

"Dumb animals and innocent parties are receiving most punishment for the imprisonment of Ehman," the governor declared in a statement. "He has 20 head of cattle, 15 horses, a pure bred percheron stallion, and some pigs, all to be cared for by the wife and two young children" he added.

"The stock, no doubt has been greatly neglected, especially the stallion, which has not been out of the barn since September 29 last, as the boy cannot take him out and the wife and children dare not go near him.

"Under the circumstances as shown in this case further incarceration only brings greater suffering to the family and additional neglect for dumb animals. The jail sentence therefore in default of the fine is commuted to expire at noon February 8, and the fine is reduced to $300, the amount that he may be able to pay."

PRISONER'S MONEY GARNISHED

LUVERNE, Minn.—The question of whether money taken by a jailer from a prisoner can be garnished by a creditor is to be ruled upon by Judge Reynolds in court here. Joseph H. Jones has started garnishment proceedings against Sheriff Wiggin to recover $37.50 which the sheriff holds belonging to Peter Sahn. Jones says the money to apply on a house rent bill which he holds against Sahn.

HASTINGS MURDER CASE OPENS

HASTINGS, Minn.—The taking of testimony began here in the trial of John Freeborn, who is charged with the murder of Jonas H. Lindbeck at South Park last March. Seven persons gave testimony. Lindbeck was found shot at George Peason's boarding house at South Park, March 20, 1922 and died Nov. 27 of that year. Freeborn, a boarder at the same place, was arrested and held for the murder.

ARCHBISHOP ATTENDS FUNERAL

RED WING, Minn.—Archbishop Austin Dowling of St. Paul came here Tuesday for the funeral of Father H. J. McAvey, aged 62, who died at Rochester, Minn., Friday. Father McAvey for the last seven years has been pastor of the Catholic church at Belle Creek, Goodhue county, near here.

BLAKELY TO HAVE BRIDGE

BLAKELY, Minn.—Residents of this village are enthusiastic over the prospects of having a bridge constructed over the Minnesota river here. This has been a dream for many years. Engineers of Sibley and Scott counties have been instructed to draw up plans and specifications for the proposed bridge.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

AUSTIN GETS HOMEBUILDER AID

AUSTIN, Minn.—W. W. Walker and H. W. Hurlbert, representing an eastern life insurance company, announce that they have been authorized to provide $1,000,000 for the building of new homes here. Money will be loaned to those desiring to build homes on a plan followed by the company throughout the country.

PASSENGER TRAIN KILLS WOLF

WAUSAU, Wis.—A wolf travels pretty fast, but one was killed by a Northwestern passenger train near Ringle station. The animal was trying to cross the track ahead of the train, but misjudged the distance and speed of the train. A section crew picked up the carcass and collected the bounty.

CRIPPLED GIRL RECOVERS

STEVENS POINT, Wis.—Gertrude Golla, who had been crippled since childhood by an attack of infantile paralysis, has been brought home from a Madison hospital, completely cured, it is announced. She had used crutches all her life until taken to Madison for treatment.

BARNESVILLE PLANS FINES

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—The city council has passed an amendment to the old ordinance relating to men arrested for being drunk. Under the new amendment intoxicated men will hereafter be fined from $10 to $40 and costs, and on failure to pay the fine, will be confined in the city jail not to exceed 10 days.

COURT OPENS AT ALBERT LEA

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—The first session of the district court with Judge N. E. Peterson presiding for the first time convened here today. Judge Peterson was appointed by Governor J. A. Preus to succeed the late Ralph Parker of Spring Valley, who died recently at Rochester.

Norma Talmadge in "The Voice from the Minaret," is pleasing Rivoli Theatre audiences this week.

Cures By Coue Limited to Nervous Diseases Claims University Psychologist

MADISON, Wis.—Cures through auto-suggestion made by M. Emile Coue are limited in their effectiveness to nervous diseases such as stammering, asthma and certain cases of paralysis, Prof. Joseph Jastrow, well known University of Wisconsin psychologist, declared in a statement Thursday.

"Suggestion is nothing new in the realm of science," he said.

"Nevertheless, Coue has developed auto-suggestion or self-suggestion so that the patient now can cure himself, thereby benefiting the poor man who cannot afford medical aid.

"Day by day in every way, I am getting better and better," is a phrase which puts the patient in a hopeful mood. Such a mood will undoubtedly aid the patient."

All cases of disease, in which the mental forces can be enlisted on the side of health are within the realm of Coue, but organic diseases must be treated by a physician, the professor said. Many shell-shocked soldiers and hysterical people have been cured by the method in recent years, he declared.

MODIFICATION OF FIREWORKS ORDER DENIED BY BOARD

MADISON, Wis.—The industrial commission Wednesday denied the petition of wholesale dealers in fireworks for modification of the fireworks order of the commission. The order, as it now stands, prohibits the selling of all fire works except colored fire and sparklers within 200 feet of any building.

Co-incident with the denial of this petition, Senator Ridgeway, Sparta, introduced a bill completely barring fireworks except displays for public authorities or private organizations granted a permit by public authorities, after filing bond. This drastic action is being taken because of the disastrous effects of the last Fourth of July celebration, when there were five deaths and 27 serious accidents.

HORSE STOPS, SAVES DRIVER

BRECKENRIDGE, Minn.—To the intuition of a horse and the fact that he has always followed the slogan "stop, look and listen," S. Stewart Morrison, a Wilkin county farmer, believes he owes his escape from death beneath the wheels of a train. Driving home in a severe snowstorm, Morrison's view of the railway track was prevented by the swirling snow. His horse stopped. Just as he got down from his wagon to investigate the cause a train flashed by on the tracks and he would have been on the crossing if his horse had kept on.

INDIANS GRANTED DIVORCES

WHITE RIVER, S. D.—Sioux Indians continue to be patrons of the white man's divorce courts. The latest members of the Sioux tribe to have their matrimonial bonds severed are Ernest Bordeaux, who was granted a divorce by Judge John G. Bardine of the circuit court from Nancy Bordeaux, while Louise Black Bear was granted a divorce from Jones Black Bear.

INSPECTOR OVERCOME BY GAS

MONTEVIDEO, Minn.—Harry Harley, inspector of perishable freight was overcome by gas from a charcoal heater in a railroad car. Harley had gone into the car to inspect the contents and was unconscious when found. He will recover.

Easy! Quick! "Gets-It" for Corns

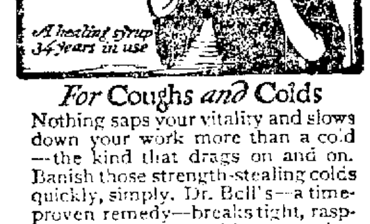
Everybody, everywhere needs to know what millions of folks have already learned about

"Gets-It," the guaranteed painless corn and callous remover. Any corn, no matter how deep rooted, departs quickly when "Gets-It" arrives. Wonderfully simple, yet simply wonderful, because all soreness stops with the first application. Get rid of your corn and wear shoes that fit. Costs but a trifle—everywhere; nothing at all if it fails. E. Lawrence & Co., Mfr., Chicago. "Gets-It" is sold in this city by C. L. Lien.

Blackheads Go Quick By This Simple Method

Blackheads—big ones or little ones—soft ones or hard ones—on any part of the body, go quick by a simple method that just dissolves them. To do this get about two ounces of calonite powder from your druggist—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—and wash off. You'll wonder where the blackheads have gone. Pinching and squeezing blackheads only open the pores of the skin and leave them large and unsightly—while the simple application of calonite powder and the water dissolve them right out, leaving the skin soft and the pores in their natural condition.

DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar Honey



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Nothing saps your vitality and slows down your work more than a cold—the kind that drags on and on. Banish those strength-stealing colds quickly, simply. Dr. Bell's—a time-proven remedy—breaks tight, rasping coughs, loosens phlegm, soothes irritated throats. Checks colds at the start. Buy Dr. Bell's *today*. All druggists, 30c.

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Every druggist here guarantees each package of "Pape's Cold Compound" to break up any cold and end grippe misery in a few hours or money returned. Stuffiness, pain, headache, feverishness, inflamed or congested nose and head relieved with first dose. These safe, pleasant tablets cost only a few cents and millions now take them instead of sickening quinine.

RESTFUL NIGHTS

FREE FROM COUGHING

At night, let a Dean's Cough Drop dissolve in your mouth. Menthol—nature's remedy—has such a clearing effect that you will be able to sleep peacefully, free from coughing.

Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops are compounded with just the proper amount of menthol and pure cane sugar to make them doubly effective. Pleasant to taste—always beneficial. Now 5c

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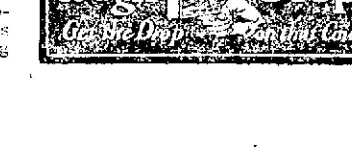


REVIVAL MEETING AT THE SALVATION ARMY HALL ENJOYED

First of Series of Services Conducted by Col. Addie and Ensign Westbrook

Colonel J. C. Addie of Chicago, who is the Salvation Army's chief evangelist for the central territory comprising fifteen states, preached the opening sermon of a series of revival services in La Crosse Wednesday night. He was greeted by a splendid audience.

The colonel took for his subject the Garden of Gethsemane scene, Matt. 26-39, "And he went a little farther."

This evening his address will be on a text found in Rev. 2-4, "I have somewhat against thee." The colonel is a forceful speaker and masters his subjects well.

His assistant from Dallas, Texas, Ensign J. W. Westbrook, is said to be a splendid singer and an expert banjo player, singing and playing many songs composed by the colonel in his own southern style and adds much to the meetings. These special services will continue over next Sunday night, beginning each evening in the Army barracks at 8 o'clock.

Next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., Colonel Addie will conduct a great mass meeting in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. At this gathering he will give his famous lecture, "Modern Miracles." A splendid musical program is being arranged to precede the lecture. All services will be in the Army hall, except the Sunday afternoon service in the Chamber of Commerce hall. Everybody is invited to all these services.

MRS. HALL TO ITALY

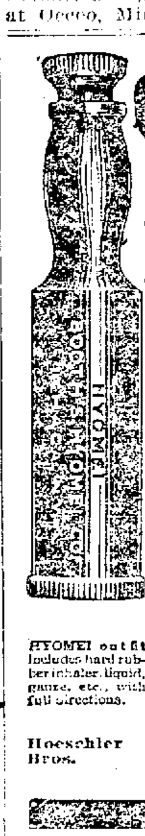
NEW YORK.—Mrs. Frances Noel Stevens Hall, widow of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall, who was murdered last September at Brunswick, N. J., with Mrs. Eleanor R. Mills, sailed for Italy.

FILIPPI RETURNS TO ROME

NEW YORK.—Monsignor Ernesto Filippi, Apostolic delegate to Mexico, recently expelled from that country, sailed for Rome, declaring he had been a victim of a "conspiracy against the free exercise of religion."

WILMAR PASTOR INSTALLED

WILMAR, Minn.—Rev. L. W. Faulstitch of Duchess, Alberta, Can., has been installed as pastor of the German Lutheran church here, succeeding Rev. H. R. Kemp who last October accepted a call to the church at Oceco, Minn.

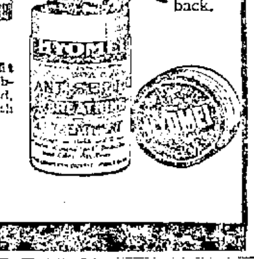


Catarrh? —breathe Hyomei

It kills catarrh germs. Prevents formation of crusts in nose, phlegm in throat. Soothes inflamed membranes, relieves stuffed up feeling in two minutes.

No stomach dosing—just *breathe medicated air:* HYOMEI. Sold by all druggists. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back.

HYOMEI outfit includes hard rubber inhaler, liquid, gauze, etc., with full directions.



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-SOLD EVERYWHERE-

NEARLY PINT A DAY IS PER CAPITA MILK CONSUMPTION IN U. S.

WASHINGTON.—Seven tenths of a pint of milk is the average daily consumption of inhabitants of 356 American cities with an aggregate population of 32,000,000 the department of agriculture announces. That is an increase of one tenth of a pint per capita as compared with ten years ago. The large cities have a higher rate than smaller ones, while the people in villages and small towns are the biggest users of milk.

New York and Chicago average 0.70 pints per capita daily. Averages of other cities, include Milwaukee, 0.85, and Minneapolis, 0.75.

DEATH PENALTY FOR SABOTAGE

DUSSELDORF.—French authorities announced the death penalty would be inflicted on Germans caught tampering with railroad equipment or signal boxes or for other acts of sabotage endangering the lives of travelers.

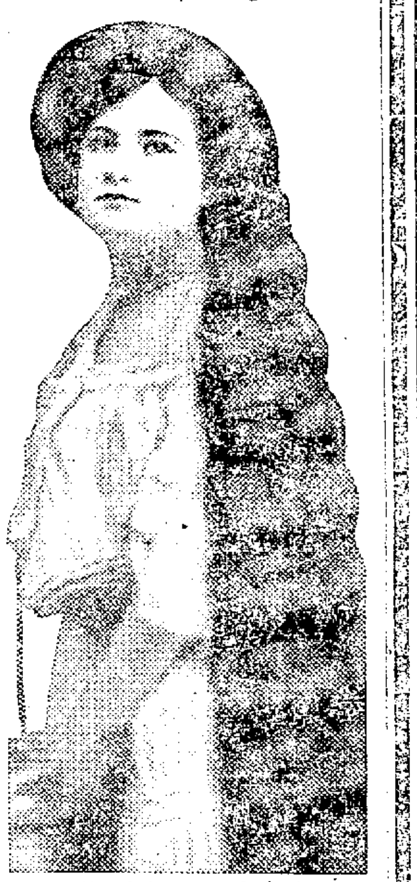
FREEBORN SCHOOL OPENED

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—The modern consolidated school building of Freeborn village has been opened. Five new busses carry the children to and from school. One feature of the new school is a complete high school course. The building was constructed at a cost of $75,000.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR IN A MOMENT

Try This! Hair Appears Soft, Colorful and Abundant —A Gleamy Mass

35 Cent Bottle of "Danderine" Also Ends Dandruff; Falling Hair!



Immediately!—your hair becomes beautiful. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and really appear twice as thick and abundant—a mass of luxuriant, glinty, colorful hair.

Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine eradicates dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the best, cheapest and most delightful hair corrective and tonic. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, vitalizes and strengthens them. Its stimulating properties help the hair to grow long, heavy, strong.

You can surely have beautiful hair, and lots of it, if you will spend 35 cents for a bottle of Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter. It is not greasy, oily or sticky.

KRAUSE BOOSTER DANCE

Eagles' Hall

FRIDAY, Feb. 9th

MUSIC BY THE ORIOLES

Dancing From 8:30 to 12:00.

NEW PRESIDENT

Dr. Alfonso Quinones Molina will be inaugurated March 1 as president of San Salvador, one of the most prosperous of Latin-American nations.

ENGINEERS ASK LAW TO MAKE ALL AUTOS STOP AT CROSSINGS

MADISON, Wis.—Railroad engineers appealed to the state Wednesday for legislation that would make all automobiles stop at grade crossings and save the nerves of the men now running engines.

Assemblymen L. H. Allen, R. F. Green and A. J. Melm, all railroad engineers, asserted to the assembly committee of state affairs that engineers are becoming physical wrecks watching approaching autos at grade crossings and wondering whether the drivers are going to stop in time.

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Men's Work Shoes $1.98
Men's Munson Last Work Shoes, all solid leather construction, made for rough wear. Brand new. At per pair

SWEATERS
Children's all wool slip-over and coat style Sweaters, Friday and Saturday at— **$1.89**

Union Suits
Men's fine ribbed Union Suits, a good buy at— **$1.19**

Men's Hi-Top Boots $5.45
Men's 16-inch solid leather, Hi-Top Boots, sizes 6 to 11. Friday and Saturday at per pair

PAJAMAS
Men's heavy flannel Pajamas, $2.25 value, Friday and Saturday at— **$1.39**

U. S. NAVY SWEATERS
Guaranteed all wool navy Sweaters, worth $5.50, Friday and Saturday at— **$1.98**

ALL WOOL BLANKETS $5.50
Just received 35 all wool double Blankets, for full sized bed, slightly soiled on account of being salesman's samples, worth $10.00, sale price

WOOL MIXED UNION SUITS
We are closing out these Union Suits at half price, $3.75 value. Friday and Saturday at— **$1.79**

Wool Dress Sox
Men's fine wool Dress Sox, in all colors, while they last, 3 pair for— **$1.00**

MEN'S DRESS SHOES $2.98
Men's fine Dress Shoes, suitable for men in every walk of life, for work or dress, solid oak tanned sole and rubber heel. Friday and Saturday

Sport Coats
Men's fine grade Sport Coats, cannot be duplicated for less than $5.00, special at— **$2.69**

OFFICERS DRESS GLOVES
Army Officers' Dress Gloves, wool lined, olive drab color, special at— **59c**

Every day in every way we are growing larger and larger.

THERE'S A REASON.

La Crosse Army Store

308 South Fourth Street. Opposite Market Square.

OSHKOSH MAN TO LEAD IN SINGLES IN PIN TOURNEY

Henry Bestler Comes Within Three Maples of Getting 700 Score Wednesday

ALSO TAKES COMFORTABLE LEAD IN ALL EVENTS; 1909

Sheboygan Team Holds Fifth in Five-man Event

GREEN BAY, Wis.—The spectacular bowling of Henry Bestler, Oshkosh star pin getter, on the alleys during the fourteenth day of the Wisconsin State Bowling tourney here Wednesday by far outshone any of the previous performances in the tournament.

697 Single

The Oshkosh maple smasher came within three pins of getting a 700 score in the singles, taking the lead away from G. Belz, of Two Rivers, who had scored a count of 676 a few hours previous and had pushed H. Nolte, Milwaukee, down to second place. Besides his leading score of 697 in the singles Bestler gained a comfortable margin in the lead in the all-events race, collecting 1,909 pins, 42 ahead of his nearest rival, E. Rehbein, also of Oshkosh, who has led the field since the week end with 1,867.

The excellent work of Bestler, now gives the sawdust city the leading place in the singles and all-events in addition to third place in the five-man and second place in the all-events, which were recently captured by their fellow townsmen, the famous Oshkosh B'Gosh five and E. Rehbein respectively.

5 Man Change

In addition to the changes in the singles and all events caused by Bestler and Belz, Mathewson's flowers of Sheboygan, jumped into fifth station in the five man event scoring 2,849, thus pushing the Mischas, who were in the lead on Friday, down to sixth place.

Alley knights from Berlin, Wausau, Neenah, Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Sturgeon Bay and Madison will roll Thursday.

The standings:

FIVE-MEN	
Nelson-Mitchells, Milwaukee	[illegible]
Van Dage Commissions, Mil.	2,880
Oshkosh-B'Gosh, Oshkosh	2,8[illegible]1
Eskimo Pops, Kenosha	[illegible]
Mathewson's Flowers, Sheboygan	2,849
DOUBLES	
P. Schneider-H. Schneider, Mil.	1,218
W. Daer-H. Kuenzl, [illegible]	[illegible]
C. Baier-J. Vana, Milwaukee	1,20[illegible]
[illegible] Hennefel-[illegible], Racine	[illegible]
C. Lemmington-J. [illegible], Kenosha	[illegible]
N. Brodel-J. Major, Racine	[illegible]
SINGLES	
H. Bestler, Oshkosh	697
G. Belz, Two Rivers	676
H. Nolte, Milwaukee	668
W. Morgenroth, Milwaukee	667
J. Reidy, Milwaukee	661
ALL EVENTS	
H. Bestler, Oshkosh	1,909
E. Rehbein, Oshkosh	1,867
W. Morgenroth, Milwaukee	1,82[illegible]
J. Major, Racine	1,80[illegible]
H. Willie, Milwaukee	1,805

SHOEMAKERS' BILL NO JOKE DECLARES AUTHOR OF MEASURE

MADISON, Wis.—The shoemaker's bill, introduced into the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature a week or so ago by Assemblyman John W. Eber, Milwaukee, was defended in a statement by him Thursday in which he deprecates the fact that some of the newspapers in the state have treated the measure in a humorous vein.

It is the intent of the bill to aid rather than harm the shoe repairer and also to protect the public, Mr. Eber said and added that the bill was presented by him at the request of the Shoe Repairer's Union a highly organized body of workingmen.

The bill will not affect shoe repairers now in business and the commission which will govern the shoe repairing industry in the state will be self-supporting, Mr. Eber said.

NEW RELIGIOUS WAR HITS NEW YORK CONGREGATION

NEW YORK. Another religious war has rent the great metropolis. This time it is a rabbi who is in trouble.

Rabbi J. L. Dwornetz, unlike Dr. Grant, is for the old time tenets of faith. He denounced a member of the congregation who drove to services in an automobile. The congregation split wide open on the question.

Rabbi Dwornetz has been "locked out" by the "liberals."

SETTLE U. S. CLAIM

DETROIT, Mich.—By The Associated Press.—The federal government's claim of approximately $9,000,000 against the Lincoln Motor company was settled for $1,550,000. The claims grew out of war contracts. The sum was taken from the $8,000,000 paid for the concern by Henry Ford at a receiver's sale last summer.

MINE OWNER DIES AT 94

PERU, Ind.—James Omer Cole, 94 years old, wealthy brewer and coal mine operator, died at his home here Saturday night. Mr. Cole held extensive coal mines and timber interests in West Virginia. He recently deeded a four thousand acre ranch located near Jacksonville, Ill., to a grandson, James Omer Cole, Jr.

PLAN DEBATE CONTEST

CAMP DOUGLAS, Wis. Superintendents of schools at Mauston, New Lisbon, Wonewoc and Camp Douglas met here to arrange an oratorical and debating contest for the four schools.

SERVES OUT FINE

RHINELANDER, Wis. — Because George Leonard did not have $300 to pay a fine, he is serving ninety days at the Oneida county jail. A still and moonshine were taken in a raid on his home.

BEST BOWLERS

SINGLE GAME	
Rogstad, Moose	246
THREE GAME	
Bollrud, Hups	637
TEAM SINGLE	
Tribune	977
Moose	977
TEAM TOTAL	
Tribune	2823
LOW SCORES	
SINGLE GAME	
Fries, Tri-State	92
THREE GAME	
Weisse, Stavrum and Fraser	373
TEAM SINGLE	
Tri-State	772
TEAM TOTAL	
Tri-State	2377

HUPS WIN THREE TRIBUNE BACK IN SECOND POSITION

The Hupmobiles added three more to their already big marginal lead in the commercial league Wednesday night by winning all three from the Wet Washes.

Winning three from the W. M. L. and P. Co., the Tribune went back into undisputed second place, having been tied with Matthews and Stavrum and Fraser last week. Each of these two teams took only one, and were tied for third place by the Gateway Grocery, which won two from the Eagles.

The scores:

STAVRUM & FRASER			
Weisse	145	105	124
V. Roth	145	139	167
A. Sone	162	146	173
Tortance	123	156	223
Biscoe	132	202	202
Handicap	85	69	29
Totals	792	817	918
MARINELLO			
O'Connor	150	188	175
Ben Williams	153	119	170
Bert Williams	153	158	186
Schenck	183	156	132
J. Bosch	184	110	125
Handicap	26	58	47
Totals	879	849	835
TRI-STATE			
Wrede	159	134	159
[illegible]	136	154	147
Hartley	119	132	131
[illegible]	110	176	158
Fries	116	163	92
Handicap	81	69	82
Totals	787	818	772
TAG HARTS			
Kreuse	141	132	145
Harzer	125	144	100
[illegible]	158	173	121
Voss	240	241	128
Krause	150	117	169
Handicap	58	58	87
Totals	[illegible]	878	754
GATEWAY GROCERY			
G. McLeod	145	137	177
N. Johnson	133	166	158
L. O'Hanlan	154	153	144
L. O'Pha	[illegible]	148	141
M. Stein	141	175	157
Handicap	67	71	13
Totals	841	843	873
EAGLES			
Newberg	154	135	127
A. Neshon	137	137	129
W. Klavetter	159	154	206
A. Klavetter	178	144	180
[illegible] Pochmann	170	180	168
Handicap	46	71	43
Totals	865	821	856
TRIBUNE			
J. Fuchs	181	204	147
A. Fuchs	207	198	200
E. Bey	179	187	182
Dorschak	115	119	186
Wals	160	204	226
Handicap	36	15	16
Totals	[illegible]	877	958
W.-M. L. & P. CO.			
Weigel	172	136	146
Gren	142	158	174
Stringer	133	195	156
Niedbalski	181	158	156
Low score	145	149	117
Handicap	50	46	59
Totals	[illegible]	886	840
MATHEWS			
Lisovec	155	214	150
Papacek	151	188	138
Schwanzle	118	172	162
Rief	126	140	187
Scherrer	168	151	190
Handicap	65	37	44
Totals	799	903	871
MOOSE			
Mekvold	154	233	187
Rogstad	178	246	166
Lewis	197	138	190
Nenstad	199	159	179
Peterson	96	162	127
Handicap	54	39	27
Totals	788	977	876
HUPMOBILE			
G. Kohn	215	170	173
F. Kabat	145	168	225
Joe Kabat	134	126	154
W. Kabat	148	156	168
G. Bollrud	245	209	183
Handicap	53	43	22
Totals	940	872	925
IDEAL WET WASH			
S. Pavela	173	135	161
A. Banasik	149	162	135
Stormont	156	146	141
Endres	170	160	171
S. Banasik	192	171	174
Handicap	35	69	55
Totals	875	838	837

MINING ACTIVITY FORESEEN

HIBBING, Minn.—A building program to include the outlay of more than $50,000 the erection of 10 six and seven room houses, construction of a camp boarding house, and various other improvements are considered by mining men here as a sign that the Mahoning Ore and Steel company, which owns local mines, plans to increase shipping operations this summer.

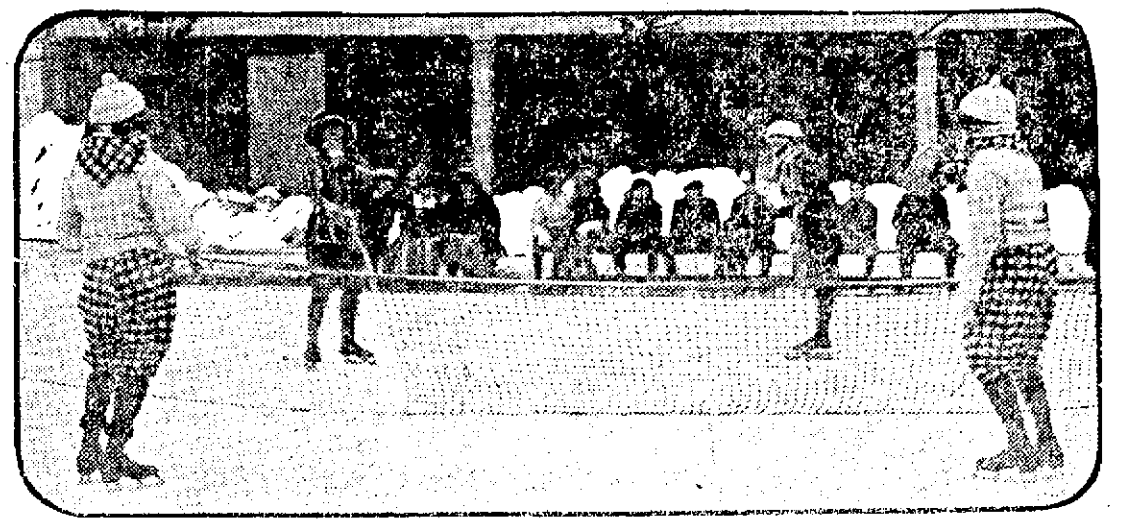
SUES MOVIE PRODUCERS

MENOMINEE, Mich.—Miss Kathleen Kirkham, a former Marinette girl, now a star in filmdom, residing in California, has sued the Fox Film corporation for alleged violation of contract. She is a sister of Mrs. Ray Hubley of Marinette, and a niece of the late John Henes, millionaire brewer here.

GEORGE DUMONT RE-INSTATED TO STATUS OF MAJORS

One of the re-instatements included in the action of K. M. Landis was that of George Dumont, Blaire mound performer last year, who as a result reverts to the Red Sox. Dumont is an ex Senator and Red Sock, he having quit organized ball to play in the midwest.

ICE TENNIS GOTHAM'S WINTER SPORT



New York has inaugurated ice tennis and is developing it into a popular winter sport. This picture shows a game in progress at the first rink to establish courts. The city park department is expected soon to lay out several ice courts.

SPORTS CARNIVAL AT PETTIBONE RINK SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Ragadour Orchestra One of Features Planned at the Lagoon Rink

DESPITE the gamble with the weather, the La Crosse Outdoor Sports association is going ahead with plans to stage the one-day carnival at Pettibone lagoon next Sunday afternoon. The event was postponed last Sunday.

Nellie, the trained giraffe, a ragadour orchestra and various racing and novelty events will be the order for the afternoon. It was expected that with uncertain weather coming on shortly, Sunday would be the last big day staged by the association this year.

Special Feature

As a special feature for the afternoon, the Netwal brothers, Ole Klandrud and Emil Tanke will give a special exhibition of speed skating. W. Netwal and Klandrud will race the 100-yard dash and the 220 yard dash to decide the champion for the entire season.

The ice will be flooded again before Sunday and the association guarantees a good time for all who come out. The events will start at 1:30 and those contemplating entering are requested to do so at the warming house before Sunday. Make your entry at the counter.

Following are the events:

List of Events

1. Centipede race; ½ mile.
   1. Roth's cigar store.
   2. S. and H. cigar store.
   3. Bodega.
2. Nellie, the trained giraffe.
3. Relay race.
   West avenue.
   Hood street.
4. School boys' obstacle race.
   Class A—High school age.
   Class B—Below high school age.
5. Dog derby.
6. Cross country ski race.
   Class A—Boys of high school age.
   Class B—Boys under high school age.
7. Midget race.
   Boys and girls of the primary grades.
8. Push ball contest.
9. Ice hockey.
10. Exhibition fancy skating.

CHILD BURNED BY POKER; MAY LOSE SIGHT OF ONE EYE

CALEDONIA Minn.—Lillian the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole A. Myhre was painfully burned with a hot stove poker and may lose the sight of one eye as a result of the accident. Lillian had been playing about the stove unnoticed by an older sister who was busy stirring up the fire. As the older girl removed the poker from the stove she held it in her hand and the child in her play fell against it receiving a severe burn across the eye. The little tot was quickly brought to the Caledonia hospital and given medical attention. At present it is impossible for the doctors to tell just how bad the eye is injured.

WAUKESHA MAN SAVES $500 ON WIFE'S ADVICE

WAUKESHA, Wis.—Patsey Sagneri listened to his wife and saved $500. He got a telegram, supposedly from his brother at Evanston, asking him to wire $500 to help close a land deal. As he was about to send the cash, he took his wife's tip, and called his brother on the telephone. The telegram was proved to be a fraud. As a result, Mario LaFratta, Waukesha, was arrested at Evanston and fined $100.

MANITOWOC MAY GET NEW CEMENT FACTORY

MANITOWOC, Wis. — Rumors partly confirmed state that Manitowoc is to be the location of the first cement manufacturing plant in Wisconsin, a project representing more than $1,000,000 with a modern plant which will employ about 150 men. It is stated that organization of the company, a Wisconsin corporation, was effected a few days ago and the company has secured an option on property here for a site.

TWO SOUGHT FOR MURDER

STATENVILLE, Ga.—Dr. S. Horn of Atlanta, federal dipping agent for Georgia, arrived here today and swore out affidavits upon which warrants were issued for the arrest of Mann Carter and his son, Will, on charges of murder.

The warrants were placed in the hands of Sheriff W. W. Pennington, of Echols county, but he reported today he had been unable to locate either of the men named in the warrants.

The Carters are alleged to have shot and killed Mack Lockridge, federal cattle dipping inspector, Saturday, and also to have wounded R. S. Ritchley, his assistant, both of Dawson, Ga.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

Cowboy Fighter Seeks Chance to Show Fistic Wares in New York

Cowboy Bill Williams, welterweight fighter, on his mount, "Snowball."

Presenting Bill Williams, cowboy welterweight fighter from the plains.

Williams hails from Malden, Okla., and seeks to display his fistic wares before the critical New Yorkers.

The cowboy fighter made his New York entrance in a most dramatic manner. He rode down Broadway to Madison Square Garden, where he made known his desire to meet any welterweight in the country.

The entire journey from Malden, Okla., to New York was made on his mount, "Snowball."

Williams has been assured that he will be given a chance to show at the Garden just as soon as he reports himself ready to step into the ring, which ought to be within the next two weeks.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

I have often been asked if it isn't far more difficult to umpire balls and strikes when some star pitcher is working than with a couple of average twirlers doing the hurling.

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The impression prevails that it is much more difficult to judge the curves and speed of the truly great pitchers. The fact that the star pitchers are usually very troublesome to the batter creates the belief that they are equally severe on the umpire.

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It may occasion some surprise when I say that a majority of the great pitchers of the game are easy to umpire. I can offer any number of arguments to substantiate such a statement.

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First: Most of the great pitchers have such confidence in their ability that a misecue on the part of the umpire doesn't mean a thing to them. Miss a perfect strike on some star and ninety-nine times out of a hundred he will pass it by unnoticed. Miss a strike on some ordinary twirler and he will in all probability let the world know it.

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Second: Practically every great pitcher has good control. Good control means much less work for the umpire. The star pitchers invariably have the batter in the hole, forcing him to hit. The ordinary pitcher, who is constantly working on the batsman in an effort to make him hit a bad ball, is usually in the hole. The batter is working on him. That means trouble for the umpire.

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Third: Batters as a rule do not seem quite as fussy when some star is pitching as with the ordinary twirler working. They seem to take it for granted that the star should be able to fool them, but they question the right of some "busher" to get a strike past them.

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It is just like a day off when called upon to work for pitchers of the Mathewson, Johnson, Brown, Bender type. On the other hand, if you draw some "busher" who is wild, thereby constantly in the hole, you have a day's work ahead of you. Likewise, if you get some "crabby" veteran, whose stuff is fast fading, and who is hanging on because of his wise old head rather than his good old arm, you are a busy person.

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There are some star pitchers who make plenty of work. For instance, if Stanley Coveleskie is pitching for Cleveland and Urban Shocker for St. Louis, the umpire is set for a tough day.

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Coveleskie starts with a spitball and finishes with one, to use the words of the rest of the American league. Coveleskie has a varied assortment of spitters, all breaking in a different manner. Calling 'em too quick on "Covie" is fatal, for often in the last six feet the ball takes its deceptive break.

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Few pitchers in baseball mix them up more than Shocker of St. Louis. First he slips the batter a spitball, then he comes back with a slow curve, then a fast one, next a different sort of a spitter, followed up by a floater that seems to hang in the air on its way to the plate. Shocker means work not only for the batter but umpire as well.

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Carl Mays gives the umpire a day's work. Carl is hard to please. In addition, his underhand ball is kept constantly at the knee to be effective. The low ball is the difficult delivery for the umpire to judge.

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Then again, when considering how difficult it is for the batsman to judge the offerings of the star pitcher, remember that he must hit the ball, while the umpire merely has to pass judgment on it.

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I would much prefer working a dozen ball games with Walter Johnson doing the pitching than one game in which two recruits were on the rubber.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

At Oshkosh Normals, 31; Milwaukee Normal, 9.

At Champaign, Ill.—Illinois, 20; Chicago, 18.

At Milton, Wis.—Milton Union High, 30; Janesville High, 11.

CHARGES GAS REBATES

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By the Associated Press.—The Standard Oil company granted secret rebates of 1 to 1½ cents per gallon to dealers in parts of New York city where competition was strong, H. K. Heiss, an automobile equipment dealer, charged at the senate oil investigation.

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BULLSEYES of BASEBALL

By BILLY EVANS

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THE BEST BIT OF STRATEGY I EVER SAW

TO Connie Mack goes the credit of pulling one of the best bits of strategy I have ever seen staged on a ball field.

It was back in 1908. Connie was getting together a team of youngsters. In the fall of the year the team began to show its real worth. In 1909 it surprised the baseball world by finishing second, carrying the Detroit team right up to the last week before the race was decided.

In 1910, 1911 and 1913 that same team won the American league pennant and world's championship. In 1914 it won the pennant but lost in the world series in four straight to the Boston Braves. It was then that Mack sold his stars, started to rebuild again, and last year seemed to be on the way to better things.

Philadelphia was playing a series in Chicago. The White Sox were in the thick of the battle for the pennant. The Athletics were playing great ball and Mack was intent on putting a crimp in Chicago's pennant chances.

In one of the games of the series, the Athletics, through poor pitching and inability to hit, were hopelessly beaten. Fielder Jones, in his effort to keep up in the race, had been working his pitching staff overtime. Ed Walsh being the largest part of the pitching staff.

About the seventh inning, with the Sox enjoying a commanding lead, Jones sent in a youngster by the name of Moxie Manuel to relieve one of the veteran pitchers. Manuel, if my memory serves me correctly, had been secured from the New Orleans club after a big year in the south.

Manuel worked three innings and certainly looked like a world beater. He had the Athletics constantly in the hole. Possessing good control, he was getting the ball over and the Athletics were waiting him out, with the result that the count was usually two strikes and no balls when they were ready to hit.

The Athletics, a team that always slammed away at any and all kinds of pitching, surprised me by their waiting game. After it was over I said to one of the players:

"I was surprised to see you wait out the 'bush' pitcher."

"None of us wanted to, but we were working under instructions. The Chicago staff is in need of pitching and Mr. Mack figured if Manuel

made a good showing against us, Jones would probably start him in a game."

That is just what happened. The great work of Manuel made it seem that he had the stuff to help out the overworked Sox staff. Manager Jones started him the next day and the Athletics knocked him out of the box in a couple of innings.

Mack's far-seeing strategy in ordering his club to permit Manuel to get it in the hole, thereby minimizing its chances to hit, worked out beautifully.

Next: The greatest bunting I ever saw.

COACH DENNEY WINS CAGE BATTLE FROM HIS FORMER SCHOOL

ART DENNEY, coach at Appleton high school and former athletic mentor at Neenah, and well known in La Crosse, went back into his old territory last Saturday night to reap a big victory.

Appleton high school defeated Neenah on the latter's floor, 23 to 5, before a packed house of 1000 spectators. Four of the men on the Neenah team were Denney's proteges the year before. Neenah had almost looked for a beating at the hands of a team coached by their former athletic head, but an overwhelming win such as 23 to 5, was more than they could fathom, according to a story published in one of the eastern papers.

SPORT BRIEFS

NEW YORK.—Charles H. Ebbets, owner of the Brooklyn Nationals, announced he would retire from baseball as soon as he could sell the club.

NEW YORK.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight boxing champion of the world, was matched to box Floyd Johnson of Iowa, 15 rounds at the new Yankee stadium May 12.

NEW YORK.—New York amateur boxers won the international intercity boxing tournament by capturing four final and one special event, with Toronto second.

OSHKOSH, Wis.—Jabber Young of Chicago knocked out Boots Hansen of Elgin, Ill., in the third round of a scheduled ten round bout here Wednesday night.

SEEK BOMB THROWER

SOFIA, Bulgaria.—By the Associated Press.—Police are searching for the bomb thrower who hurled an infernal machine toward Premier Stambouliski and three ministers in a theater Sunday night. The officials escaped injury.

WILLARD MATCHED TO FIGHT JOHNSON IN YANKEE PARK

NEW YORK.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, and Floyd Johnson of Iowa, aspirant to the world's title, were matched Wednesday to meet May 12 in a 15 round bout to a decision at the new Yankee stadium for the benefit of the milk fund of the mayor's committee of women. The boxers were guaranteed $25,000 each.

Although he has announced that he was opposed to holding heavyweight bouts because of the large amounts of money involved, Chairman William Muldoon of the state boxing commission has approved the Willard-Johnson bout because the net proceeds will go to charity.

Winner May Meet Dempsey

The bout may lead the winner to an encounter with Jack Dempsey, the titleholder as both men have been in the forefront of recent discussions of the next battle for the world's championship. It was pointed out tonight that sentiment toward a title bout may change sufficiently after the Willard-Johnson battle is held to warrant Chairman Muldoon changing his mind.

Willard, who has been training daily in the gymnasium at Madison Square Garden, will look for a permanent camp site in the next few days and probably will locate near Saratoga Springs. Johnson, who also has been training in the metropolitan district likewise will probably move upstate.

Rickard Back of Matches

It was originally intended to match Tom Gibbons of St. Paul with Johnson for the 1923 milk fund, but Willard was substituted and Gibbons probably will meet another opponent in the Garden ring on March 19.

Both bouts are under the management of Tex Rickard. The Yankee management, it is understood, tendered the stadium without cost to the women's committee.

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Millions Using this Greaseless Combing Cream—Few Cents Buys Jar any Drugstore—Not Sticky, Smelly

Even stubborn, unruly or shampooed hair stays combed all day in any style you like. "Hair-Groom" is a dignified combing cream which gives that natural gloss and well-groomed effect to your hair—that final touch to good dress both in business and on social occasions.

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TELEPHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS when it is more convenient to you and as this is an accommodation service the Tribune and Leader-Press expects payment promptly on receipt of bill.

Persons whose names do not appear in either the City Directory or Telephone Directory must send cash with their advertisements.

FRATERNAL NOTICES

Woodmen Attention!

REGULAR MEETING

Gateway City Camp

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9th

All Neighbors earnestly requested to be present to make arrangements for our class adoption.

JOHN WEBER, V. C.
WM. H. LUTH, Clerk.

WANTED—MALE HELP

MEN WANTING railway station-office positions with transportation furnished, experience unnecessary, write once. [illegible] Supt. Dept. 231, Wainwright, St. Louis. [illegible] hold

Help Wanted—Male and Female

WANTED—[illegible] washer. 1817 [illegible] 2 7 10

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—At once, temporary housekeeper in Catholic rectory on pleasant country place, this part of Wisconsin. If and when present housekeeper returns, after one year or less, substitute may stay till finding other suitable place if she desires. Good treatment guaranteed. $9.00 a week. Applications to be sent this paper. V. [illegible] care Tribune. 2 8 8

LADIES TO CANVASS—Local or traveling positions. Part or full time. Big commissions. Local ladies call personally. For surrounding territory write Luxtone Office, 402 So. 7th St., La Crosse, Wis. 1 14 1mo

WANTED 25 GIRLS

Between the ages of 18 and 25 years, for light assembly work.

Apply at once.

NATIONAL GAUGE & EQUIPMENT CO.

WANTED—[illegible] lady for light housework and care of children. Good home. [illegible] 2nd. [illegible]

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. Phone [illegible] 2 4 [illegible]

GIRL or middle-aged woman. Milwaukee [illegible] Mill. [illegible]

[illegible] woman. Apply Chef, Hotel La Crosse. [illegible] 10

PASTRY COOK. Apply Chef, Hotel La Crosse. 2 8 10

GIRL TO WORK for board. Call 2358-A. 2 8 10

MAID WANTED—La Crosse Hospital. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Eight room bungalow [illegible] hot water heat, modern, splendidly located, close in, garage. $6,500. [illegible] Tribune office. 1 [illegible] tf

FOR SALE—New 6 room house. Almost full basement. Another small house on same lot and half. All for less than $[illegible] [illegible] 2 [illegible]

FOR SALE—Strictly modern new five room bungalow with sun parlor and garage. Good location. [illegible] care Tribune. 2 4 10

FOR SALE—5 room bungalow, all modern [illegible] and State. $550 down. Balance like rent. Phone 1754 [illegible]

FOR SALE—Seven room modern house [illegible] Mississippi street. Cash or terms. Inquire 301 [illegible] St. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Lot and half with foundation and [illegible] $500. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Strictly modern 7 room home. $7,000. Address 42[illegible] Tribune. 2 2 1mo

FOR SALE—FARMS

WANTED TO RENT—Valley farm for cash rent within a radius of ten miles from La Crosse or may buy a farm. No sand farm preferred. [illegible] Johnson St., La Crosse. 2 8 9

FOR SALE—Farm 30 acres, 6 miles [illegible] of La Crescent. All new buildings. Spring and well on farm. [illegible] T. F. Fitting, La Crescent, Minn. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR RENT—[illegible] acre farm, [illegible] of La Crescent. Inquire [illegible] A. Albrecht, La Crescent, Minn., R. No. 1. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR RENT—300 acre farm. [illegible] particulars call owner 2521 [illegible] Wed Thu Sun

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE for beagle or fox hound, one black and white [illegible] month old. Box [illegible] care of Tribune. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Restaurant. Best location down town. Doing good business. Address X. M., Tribune. 2 7 15

POULTRY AND PETS

FOR SALE—[illegible] barred Rock Pullets, 2 Barred Rock cockerels, 1 Barred Rock cock. One 150 egg Queen Incubator in No. 1 condition. For further information call at 212 Caledonia. 2 8 12

FOR SALE—Two first class fox or wolf hounds, four years old. Call [illegible]. 2 2 8

SEWING MACHINES

ALL MAKES sewing machines repaired promptly. Machines bought and sold. Sewing machine repair shop. H. Kathary, 304 So. 4th St. Phones, shop 1305-A; residence 2275-M. 1 8 2mo

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Experienced salesman for La Crosse territory to handle Schutter-Johnson Candies. Must be capable of handling both retail and jobbing trade and have good sales record. Apply Chas. E. Domm, Stoddard Hotel, Friday and Saturday afternoon. 2 7 9

WANTED—Salesmen to demonstrate the Liberty Electric Vacuum Cleaner. Something new, different and better for the people and for you. See Guggenbuehl, 417 Rivoli Bldg. 2 6 12

SALESMAN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 2 8 8

FOR SALE

SEVEN MEN'S spring and winter overcoats, slightly worn, sizes 38 to 44, $3 each. Two 9x12 rugs, $4 and $10. Ladies' coats and dresses very cheap. Phone 1664-C. 2 8 8

FOR SALE—One three shuttle cylindrical auto-knitting machine. Knits a stocking in about three minutes. A money maker! P. O. Box 160, La Crescent, Minn. 2 8 10

WE HAVE several slightly used drophead Singer machines to close out at a bargain. Can be bought on small monthly payments. Singer Shop, 108 N. 3rd St. 2 7 13

WE ARE NOW taking orders for block wood for prompt delivery. Segelke & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co. Phone 150. 2 3 tf

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet and hard coal heater. Cheap. Call evenings after seven. 1403 State St. 2 8 tf

FOR SALE—Ash, birch and maple wood, pole or block. 919 St. Paul St. Phone 2098-R. 2 7 8

BABY FED buggy, two clothes wringers, one settee. Inquire mornings. 928 State. 2 7 [illegible]

SMALL DRY oak cord wood. Good for kitchen stove. Also good big wood. 2751 C. 1 18 1 mo

FOR SALE—Kitchen range in good condition. 1234 Adams. Phone 2561-C. 2 8 10

LAUNDRY stove for sale. Parizek's Meat Market, corner 8th and Johnson. 2 7 9

FOR SALE—Library table $6.50, steel davenport, $[illegible]. 417 So. 6th. 2 8 10

FOR SALE—Blue reed baby buggy, like new. Phone 119-M. 2 8 9

LARGE RANGE with reservoir, like new. Call 1119 Pearl. 2 7 8

FOR SALE—House boat 55x10. Phone 2712 Green. 2 4 10

LARGE reed baby buggy for sale. Call 2652-C. 2 6 8

BICYCLE FOR SALE—$10.00. 528 Cass. 2 7 9

FOR SALE—Banjo. Call 2222-M. 2 8 10

FOR RENT—ROOMS

ONE AND TWO ROOM apartment neatly furnished for light housekeeping. Reasonable. City heat. 113 So. 3rd. 2 8 9

TWO DESIRABLE unfurnished rooms. Modern except heat. Suitable for light housekeeping. 515 N. 7th St. 2 7 9

MODERN furnished front room in private family. Suitable for two ladies. 429 So. 5th. 1656-C. 2 6 8

LARGE pleasant front room. Suitable for student. Girl preferred. Phone 124-R. 2 8 8

MODERN room for rent near high school and normal. Phone 1040 M. 2 6 8

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room suitable for couple. 128 So. 4th. 2 7 11

FURNISHED room for rent. 409 W. Ave. So. Lady preferred. 2 7 20

MODERN house, 1511 Loomis. Inquire Casperson's Dairy. 2 6 8

FOR RENT—Furnished room near Normal. Phone 1605-M. 2 8 10

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms and sitting room. 421 W. Ave. So. 2 6 12

TWO FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 417 So. 6th. 2 8 10

FURNISHED city heated room, 322 So. 4th, 2nd floor. 2 7 9

MODERN furnished room for rent. Phone 1520-C. 2 6 8

MODERN furnished room. 1108 State. Phone 617 R. 2 8 8

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. Phone 2500 C. 2 6 9

FURNISHED rooms. 734 West Ave. South. 2 4 8

FURNISHED room for rent. 617 Cass street. 2 8 8

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 105 So. 6th. 2 8 11

LARGE front room, modern. 528 So. 4th. 2 6 11

FURNISHED room. 202 No. 8th. 2 6 9

For Rent—Houses and Flats

MODERN 8-room flat. Inquire Room 212, State Bank Bldg. 2 8 10

FIVE-ROOM flat for rent. 325 No. 4th. Call 329 No. 4th. 2 7 10

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AUTO RADIATORS frozen? Have them repaired the right way. Non-bursting freeze proof radiators for sale. Written guarantee. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 118 Pearl. Phone 288. 1 6 tf

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FOX BROS. BUICK COMPANY.

RADIATORS repaired, recored, rebuilt, fenders, bodies and gas tanks. Quick service. Work guaranteed. La Crosse Auto Radiator Service, 108 South 2nd St. Phone 313. 4 23 tf

FOR SALE—Late model Harley Davidson motorcycle and sidecar. Fully equipped. Cheap if taken at once. 1325 So. 18th. 2 8 10

TYPEWRITERS

GENUINE STANDARD TYPEWRITERS, Underwoods $3 down and $5 per month. 10 days trial FREE. 5 year money back guarantee. Factory rebuilt. All typewriters sold on easy terms. Typewriters Rented and Repaired. C. A. KREBAUM. 1 27 2 26

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT FREIGHT RATES on household goods North, South, East and West. For particulars write Boyd Transfer & Storage Company, Minneapolis. 12 8 tf

WANT TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY the following second hand grocery store fixtures: One Sherrer counter, two 6 ft. floor cases, two pair computing scales, icebox. Phone 1791 A. 2 8 10

WANTED TO BUY—Phonograph and records for cash. State price. T-200, care Tribune. 2 8 9

WANT TO BUY—5 or 6-room modern bungalow or cottage. T. H., care Tribune. 2 8 10

WANTED TO BUY—Baby crib in good condition. Call 1061-C. 2 7 9

Situation Wanted—Female

POSITION WANTED—Bookkeeper with five years' experience, including cashier and general office work. Good references. Have had accounting. Box 95, Hillsboro, Wisconsin. 2 6 8

GIRL OVER 18 wishes position as nurse girl or light housework. Address N. G., Tribune. 2 7 9

WANT TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Place to keep a car near 20th and Main. Phone 1117-C. 2 8 9

WANT TO RENT—Modern 5 or 6-room flat or cottage. Phone 1141-C. 2 8 10

MISCELLANEOUS

WHY NOT a banking course? We can teach you in a few months. Bank clerks are in demand. Call, phone or write us today for full information. Keefe Business College. 2 4 13

AUCTION

20 carloads government surplus merchandise sells at

PUBLIC AUCTION

Starting Monday, Feb. 19 at 10 a. m.

and to continue for three days. Sale to be held at the

Warehouses of Rose Bros. Co.

187 to 193 S. Wabasha Ave., St. Paul.

This merchandise consists of harness, blankets, wagons, steel cots, mattresses, tarpaulins, tents, plumbing goods, kitchenware, ranges, ice boxes, paints, varnishes, rope, chains, carts, horse blankets, prepared roofing, halters, desks, trunks and many more items. Lots sold to suit purchasers.

Remember the date and the above address.

BAIRD & CO., AUCTIONEERS

EVENING school at the Keefe Business College. Low rates. Personal attention. Success sure. Call, write or phone for further information. 1 28 2 10

SAVE $10 ON YOUR SUIT

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

All Wool Suits at

$22.50

DRESS PANTS

$3.00 to $5.95

317½ PEARL STREET.

At the Tailor Shop Upstairs.

A THREE months' civil service course is forming at the Keefe Business College. Call, phone or write for further information. 2 1 13

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Boyer-Furber Furniture Company. 1 1 18 tf

WE PACK, STORE or ship furniture, cut glass and china. Tillman Bros. Phone 143. 2 4 10

WASHING and ironing done. Call 2520-C. 2 8 14

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Friese-Niebuhr Agency, 309-312 Newburg Bldg. 7 22 tf

Situation Wanted—Male

EXPERIENCED shop man wishes employment in local shop or garage. Out of town employment will be considered. Phone 1267-A. Write B. J., Tribune. 2 7 8

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Red and grey hound. Piece cut out of one ear for trade mark. Phone 738-A or 1909-A. Reward. Thorvald Casperson. 2 7 8

LOST—Four $1 bills in one roll down town Wednesday. Reward. Call 1857-A. 2 8 10

COLLECTIONS

CLAIMS collected on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 314 Newburg Bldg. 6 21 tf

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the opening of bids for the closing of breaks in Black river named in the earlier notice by the Special Black River Improvement Committee of the La Crosse County Board of supervisors is hereby postponed to Wednesday, February 14th, 1923, at 10:00 A. M. Bids will be received by said committee at the office of the County Clerk, La Crosse, until that time.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BARNEY OLSON,
FRED L. GODDARD,
EMIL KNUDSON,
Special Black River Improvement Committee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Western District of Wisconsin.—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of W. H. Hartig, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of W. H. Hartig, of Edgar, in the County of Marathon, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1923, the said W. H. Hartig was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the City of Wausau, in the County of Marathon, at the Court House, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated February 7th, 1923.

C. L. BALDWIN,
Referee in Bankruptcy,
La Crosse, Wisconsin.

BIRD, OKONESKI & PUCHNER,
Attorneys for Bankrupt,
Wausau, Wisconsin.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the third Tuesday, being the 20th day of February, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Elizabeth Branson, Administratrix of the estate of Raymond Schuman, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of her final account as such administratrix and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court.

JOHN COSTLEY,
Register in Probate.

JOHN F. DOHERTY,
Attorney for Estate.

Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, in Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah F. Riley, late of the City of La Crosse in said County, deceased. Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Marie Riley of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that four months after the 24th day of January, A. D. 1923, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 24th day of January, 1923.

By the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

GEO. H. GORDON, LAW & GORDON,
Attorneys for Estate.

More than 15,000,000 men were wounded in the world war.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds at 1 p. m.:

3½s	101.56	Fourth 4¼s	98.56
Second 4s	98.42	Liberty 4¾s	"
First 4¼s	98.66	uncalled	100.20
Second 4¼s	98.58	New 4¼s	99.96
Third 4¼s	98.88		

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—Prices moved within narrow and irregular limits at the opening of Thursday's stock market but the main tendency was upward. Pan American A., selling ex 20 per cent stock dividend, opened at 81 as compared with Wednesday's close of 92¼. Studebaker advanced one point to 27⅞, and Baldwin, Consolidated Textile and Marland Oil showed small fractional advances. Lehigh Valley opened quarter of a point lower.

Further irregularity occurred as trading progressed, the favorable effect of record car loadings and pig iron production in January being counteracted by disturbing cable news from the Near East. Canadian Pacific dropped 1¼, but Lackawanna, St. Paul, Reading and Chicago and Northwestern advanced fractionally while Chicago and Eastern Illinois preferred was pushed up 2⅞ points. Gains of 1 to 1½ points were registered by American Tobacco B, General Cigar, Nash Motors, Pond Creek Coal and Cuba Cane Sugar preferred. Studebaker cancelled its early gain and Iron Products, Virginia-Carolina Chemical preferred and Mellinson yielded 1 to 1¼ on profit-taking. Foreign exchanges opened easier, demand sterling dropping ⅝ of a cent to $4.67¾ and French francs dropping three points to 6.17 cents.

Pool operations in a number of specialties turned the course of prices upward before midday after rather extensive liquidation had been conducted in a few special issues, notably Pacific Oil and American Sumatra Tobacco. Business expanded as prices rose with the best gains being registered by such ordinarily inactive shares as Remington Typewriter, Lima Locomotive and Cuba Cane Sugar preferred up three to four points. Standard issues also ruled materially higher, with the buying power most effective in the steel equipments, public utilities and sugar. Call money opened at four per cent.

Some profit-taking in Studebaker and the equipment group failed to halt the upward surge of the remainder of the list, many industrials and specialties advancing in a vigorous manner. The rubber, shipping and merchandise issues were in larger demand at substantially higher prices. Pressed Steel Car advanced four points, Kelsey Wheel 3¾, American Tobacco B 3½ and Lorillard, North American, Eastman Kodak and Louisville and Nashville 2¼ to 3 points.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Lessening of war tension in the Near East brought about a moderate setback in the price of wheat Thursday during the early dealings. Bulls were also handicapped by a forecast of snow in the southwest, likely to benefit the winter crop. On the downturns in price, however, some influential buying developed, and tended to steady the market. Opening quotations, which varied from unchanged figures to ⅝c lower, with May $1.20 to $1.20⅜, and July $1.14¾ to $1.14⅞, were followed by a sag all around.

Subsequently, buying on the part of several leading houses found the market responsive and with offerings light, a temporary bulge in prices ensued. Widening of the spread between May and July was a feature. The close was unsettled, at the same as Wednesday's finish to ⅛c lower, with May $1.20⅜ to $1.20½ and July $1.14¼ to $1.14⅜.

Corn and oats were easier with wheat and as a result of the hedging sales of corn. After opening ⅛ to ⅜c lower, May 75¼ to 75⅜c, the corn market held near to the initial range.

Later, there was persistent commission house buying, and all deliveries of corn touched a new high price record for the season, but heavy profit-taking brought about a reaction. The close was unsettled at ⅛c net decline to ⅛c gain, with May 75⅝ to 75¾c.

Oats started unchanged to ⅛ to ⅜c off, May 45⅜ to 45½c, and later underwent a slight general decline.

Provisions lacked support.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

WHEAT—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	120	121½	119¾	120⅜
July	114¾	114¾	112⅞	114¼
Sept.	111¼	112	111	111½
CORN—				
May	75¾	76⅜	75¼	75⅝
July	76⅜	77¼	76	76⅜
Sept.	76½	77½	76½	76⅞
OATS—				
May	45⅝	45⅝	44⅞	44⅞
July	43⅜	42⅞	43¾	43½
Sept.	42½	42⅞	42⅜	42½
PORK—				
Blank.				
LARD—				
May	11.40	11.42	11.25	11.37
July	11.50	11.52	11.50	11.52
RIBS—				
May	.....	.....	.....	10.90
July	.....	.....	.....	11.00

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Department of Agriculture.—Hogs—Receipts 45,000, fairly active, about steady, stronger than Wednesday's close; bulk 170 to 200 pound averages, $8.10 to $8.25; few 150 to 160 pound averages, $8.30 to $8.40; top, $8.40; bulk 225 to 325 pound butchers, $7.75 to $8.00, packing sows mostly $6.85 to $7.15; desirable 90 to 120 pound pigs, $7.50 to $8.00, heavy weight hogs, $7.70 to $7.95, medium, $7.85 to $8.15; light, $8.00 to $8.40; light lights, $8.00 to $8.40; packing sows, smooth, $6.90 to $7.05; packing sows, rough, $6.75 to $7.00; killing pigs, $7.50 to $8.25.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; fairly active, beef steers butcher she stock 10 to 15c higher; spots 25c up; early top yearlings, $10.75; several loads yearlings, $9.50 to $10.00; best matured steers early $10.25; some held higher; canners and cutters and bulls strong; other classes fully steady; plainly bred stockers and feeders dull, weak to lower; bulk desirable veal calves, $11.00 to $12.00, outsiders buying freely upward to $13.00 for good to choice kinds; bulk desirable heavy bologna bulls, $4.50 to $4.65.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000; opening slow; fat lambs steady; early top $15.25 to shippers, $15.15 to packers, two loads clipped lambs, $12.25 to $12.50; fed yearling wethers and sheep steady to strong; choice 90 pound yearlings, $13.25; desirable 112 pound ewes, $8.00; about 250 feeding and shearing lambs $15.00 to yard traders.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Firm; receipts 21 cars; total United States shipments, 653; Wisconsin sacked round whites, 85 to 90c cwt., few best at 95c cwt., poorer, 75 to 80c cwt.; ditto bulk, 85 to 90c cwt.; few best at $1.00 cwt.

WAUPACA, Wis.—United States Bureau of Markets—Potatoes—Haulings light. Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Car lots f. o. b. sacked United States Grade No. 1 round whites, 58 to 65c per cwt., warehouses cash to growers bulk United States No. 1 round whites, 30 to 35c. Few fancy 40 cents. Some warehouses in state paying as low as 25 cents.

Cabbage—Somers demand and movement moderate, market steady to firm. United States Grade No. 1 Danish cash to growers, $22.60 to $24.00 per ton.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Butter — Higher; receipts 4,976 tubs; creamery extras, 49c; standards, 47c; extra firsts, 47 to 48c; firsts, 45 to 46c; seconds, 43 to 44c.

Cheese—Unchanged.

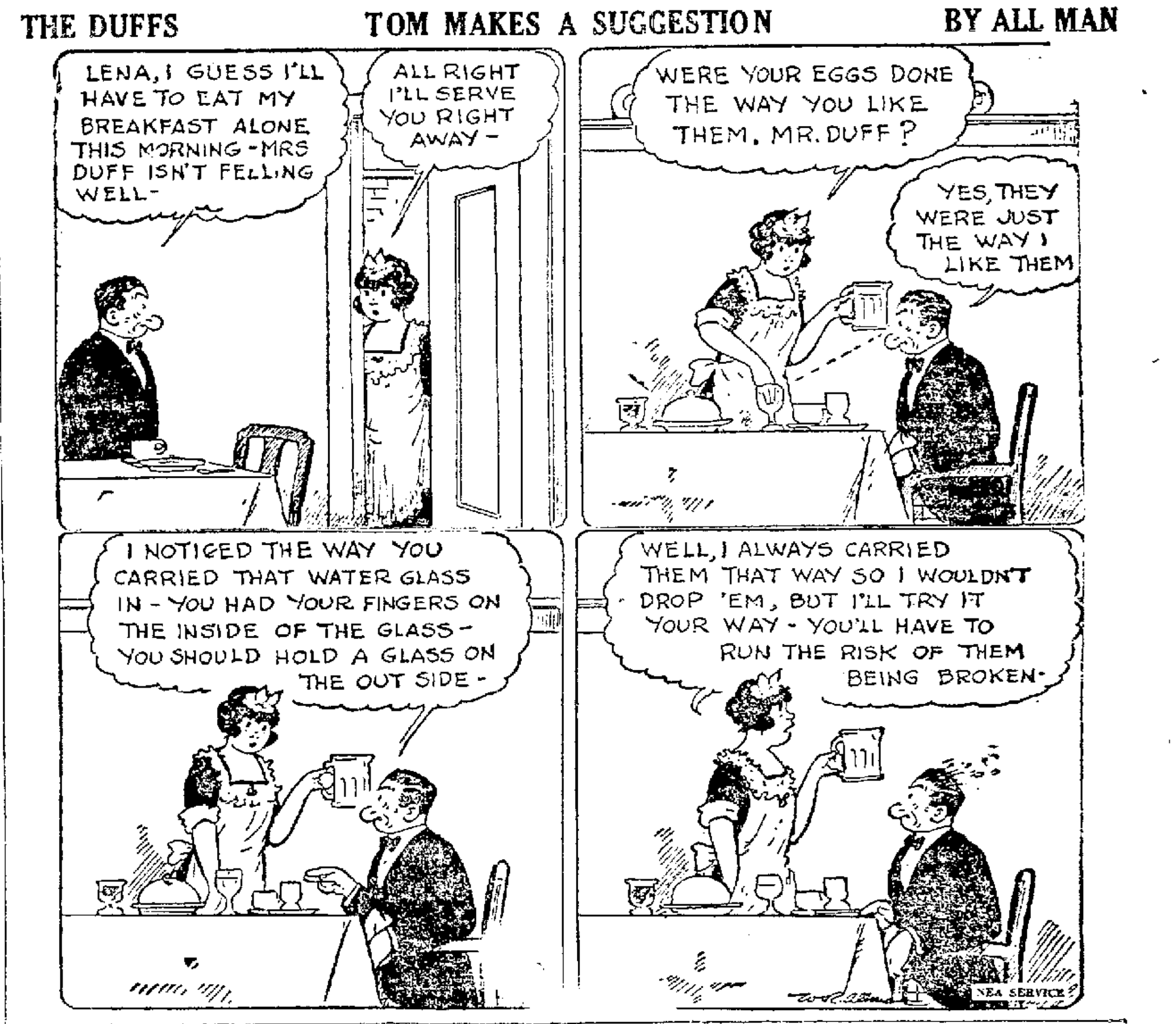
Eggs—Lower; receipts 10,833 cases; firsts, 32½c; ordinary firsts, 30 to 31c; miscellaneous, 31½ to 32c.

Poultry—Alive, unchanged.

The winter months, generally regarded in the United States as being December, January and February, are considered in England to be November, December and January.

FRECKLES — FRECKLES ISN'T A BIT SELFISH — BY BLOSSER

THE DUFFS — TOM MAKES A SUGGESTION — BY ALLMAN



A. A. BENTLEY RETURNS FROM MADISON AFTER COMMITTEE HEARING

Mayor A. A. Bentley has returned from Madison where he represented the League of Wisconsin Municipalities in committee hearings on bills before the legislature. He announced that two of the bills studied were the teachers' permanent tenure bill and a bill to reduce the age limit to 17 years providing compulsory attendance at continuation schools by pupils who have not graduated from high schools.

GIBSON DEFEATS APPLEMAN 75-59 WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Z. Gibson, playing for Wittenberg's defeated R. Appleman of Sheldon's Wednesday night in one of the most interesting games of the pocket billiard tournament. The score stood 51 to 31 in favor of Appleman after he had made a run of 26, but Gibson won out, ending with an unfinished run of 25.

Armstrong playing for Roth's defeated Safford 75 to 29 Wednesday night.

AGED WOMAN INJURED

PLATTEVILLE, Wis.—Mrs. Jane Bowden, 83 years old, was seriously injured when the automobile in which she was riding collided head on with another car.

HIBBING MINER KILLED

HIBBING, Minn.—Mike Stutick, 49, was killed in a fall of earth at the Sweeney mine. His skull was crushed. A widow and two children survive, living in Jugo-Slavia.

TANK CRUSHES BOY TO DEATH

ABERDEEN, S. D.—John Gefre, aged 9, was killed when a boiler on a sleigh on which he was riding, tipped over, breaking the boy's back.

India has more than 81,000,000 acres planted to rice.

Mineral oils will not cause spontaneous combustion.

FARM WAGES LOWER THAN THREE MONTHS AGO REPORTS U. S.

WASHINGTON.—Farm wages are lower than they were three months ago. Declines ranging from 3.1 per cent to 6.4 per cent for various parts of the country are disclosed in the survey of the department of agriculture for the three months period of October to January.

Day farm laborers for the country as a whole were averaging $1.98 a day without board and $1.47 with board, while by the month the average wage was $40.30 without board and $27.81 with board.

FINDS RADIUM IN ASHES

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—A. H. Miller, using an electroscope, detected $6,000 worth of radium, lost in St. Clara's hospital Saturday, in an ash heap at the hospital.

BACK SHIPPING BILL

WASHINGTON.—The National Merchant Marine Association in a resolution urged the immediate passage of the shipping bill by the senate.

PAVING CONTRACT AWARDED

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—Larson Brothers Construction company of this city was awarded the bid for a large paving contract at Platte, S. D., on a bid of $100,000.

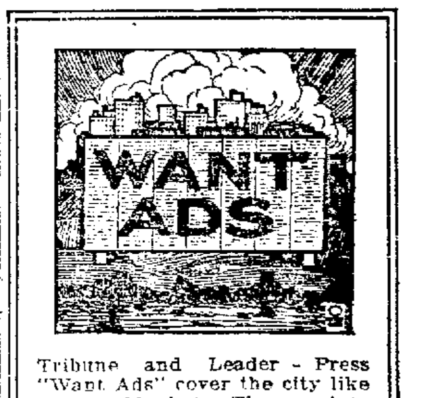
WANTED 25 GIRLS

Stitching Department

LACROSSE RUBBER MILLS CO.

U. S. RECOGNITION OF MEXICO ASKED BY TEXAS SENATE

AUSTIN, Texas.—The senate of the Texas legislature without a record vote Thursday, adopted a concurrent resolution already passed by the House, requesting the federal government to take steps looking to recognition by the United States of the Mexican government.



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PROPOSES TO CLOSE SCHOOLS TO DANCES AND CARD PARTIES

Bill Introduced by Dane County Assemblyman Would Affect Only Rural Schools

WOULD BAR USE OF NETS IN TWO LAKES AT TREMPEALEAU

Clark County Representative Has Bill to Stop Netting

MADISON, Wis.—Boards controlling school buildings and other public property would not be permitted to grant the use of such property for social festivities if at the social function there was any dancing smoking or card playing providing a bill introduced by Assemblyman J. C. Hanson Dane county, is passed.

The bill would only effect school buildings and public property located outside of cities and incorporated villages.

Failure of purchasers of pulpwood to have the pulpwood scales in accordance with the law would cost them a fine not to exceed $50, if a bill by Assemblyman J. D. Grandine, Argonne passes.

Assemblyman James T. Oliver would amend the statutes to prohibit a general course in art, music and agriculture in any normal school of the state.

The state superintendent of schools is required to approve the amount of state aid and number of teachers in any county training school in the state under a bill by Assemblyman A. E. Smith, Viroqua.

Pro-rated payments on premium exhibits would be made where more than one county fair is held in a county if Assemblyman E. H. Johnson's bill passes.

A petition signed by a five per cent of the last general vote would be sufficient to have a vote on the proposed recall of judge under a bill introduced by Assemblyman Thomas Duncan, Milwaukee, calling for a constitutional amendment.

The county clerk of any village or town would be eligible for the office of justice of the peace under Assemblyman S. H. Liebe's bill.

Assemblyman George W. Schmidt, Clark county, sworn in yesterday, introduced a bill prohibiting the use of licensed nets in fishing in Second and Third Lakes of the Trempealeau county.

The repeal of the laws for farmers' institutes for land clearing demonstrations was asked by Assemblyman A. M. Miller, Outagamie.

A joint resolution memorializing congress to enact legislation to provide for an adequate supply of coal at reasonable prices was introduced in the lower house by Assemblyman Lawrence Timmerman Milwaukee.

The various coal shortages of the country's history have caused the cessation of some of the nation's most important industries, exorbitant prices and untold human suffering, the resolution declared.

Beware! The Flirt is coming to town.—Advertisement.

HALF MILLION BOY SCOUTS ON 14th BIRTHDAY

NEW YORK.—The 400,000 Boy Boy Scouts in America are beginning the celebration of their fourteenth birthday, this week, with the addition of another 100,000 to their membership.

This is the culmination of an intensive "anniversary round-up," which started last November and had the object of raising the membership of this famous boys' organization to the half-million mark.

Thirteen years ago, the Boy Scouts of America was merely an idea in the minds of men who are still its guiding spirits. It followed the formation of a similar organization in England, in 1908, by Sir Robert S. S. Baden-Powell.

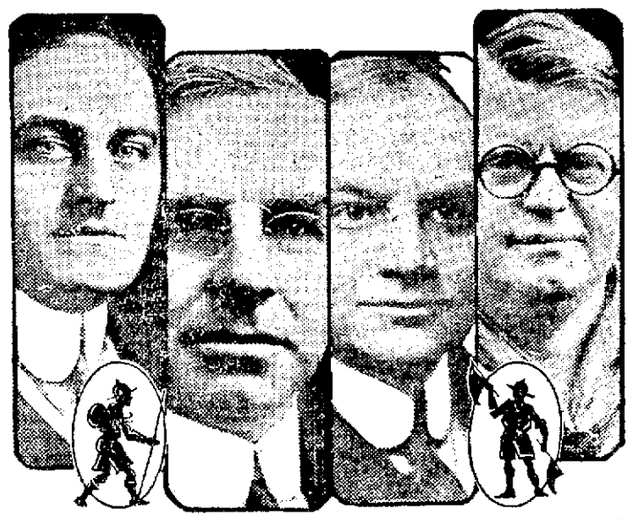
In the United States at this time there were two boys' organizations. One, founded by Ernest Thompson-Seton, was called Woodcraft Indians. The other, called the Sons of Daniel Boone, was led by Dan C. Beard.

These two organizations were combined and, February 8, 1910, were chartered as the Boy Scouts of America. Since then, the Boy Scouts have had some 2,000,000 boys in its membership, and at the beginning of this year had a standing membership of 400,601. This week, the leaders of the movement hope to count half a million Boy Scouts.

Scout Leaders

At the head of the organization today are men like Colin H. Livingstone of Washington, D. C., the only president the organization ever had; James E. West, chief scout executive since January 1, 1911; Mortimer L. Schiff, New York banker, vice president of the national council of the Boy Scouts of America; George D. Pratt of New York, treasurer; Clarence H. Howard of St. Louis, and Walter W. Head of Omaha, vice president of the National Bankers Association.

Although it is 13 years old, the Boy Scout movement is still in its infancy, say its officials. They point to the fact that there are some 8,000,000 boys of scouting age in this country and only half a million in the movement.



Leaders in the Boy Scout movement. Left to right, Mortimer L. Schiff, vice president national council; Colin H. Livingstone, president; George D. Pratt, treasurer; James E. West, chief Scout executive.

The aim of the Boy Scout movement is generally to supplement the various existing educational organizations and to teach boys to do things for themselves and for others.

Every boy, to become a Scout, takes an oath in which he pledges himself to do his duty to God and country, to help other people at all times and to keep himself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight. His motto is "Be Prepared," and his slogan, "Do a Good Turn Daily."

Practically all religious bodies have endorsed this movement in connection with their own work with boys. Schools recognize it as an aid to education and prominent men throughout the country have shown a deep interest in its affairs.

Presidents as Members

Four presidents are on the list of honorary members—Roosevelt, Taft, Wilson and Harding. More than 30 governors have taken the Scout oath as honorary "tenderfoot" Scouts.

Leading the boys, with no money compensation for themselves, are nearly 130,000 business and professional men, who are acting as scoutmasters, troop committeemen and members of local councils.

YEAR CONSUMED IN RESTORING PHONES PUT OUT BY STORM

Damage Done in Sleet Storm of February, 1922 Repaired at Cost of $2,000,000

GREEN BAY, Wis.—A full year's work was necessary to restore the telephone service of the Wisconsin Telephone company as a result of one of the most destructive storms, from the telephone company's standpoint, in Wisconsin's history which occurred February 22, 1922, according to J. T. Quinlan, district manager. Thousands of telephone poles and miles of copper wire were torn down by the storm which lasted until February 24. The estimated cost of the restoration of the service was set at approximately $2,000,000 by Mr. Quinlan.

In addition to the $2,000,000 spent for repairing the lines $421,000 was invested in other new construction work during the past year, it was announced. The stringing of many miles of lines throughout the district, which covers 19 counties of the northeast quarter of Wisconsin, and the adding of new office equipment and telephones, Mr. Quinlan declared, made up the major part of the new improvements. The district now has 65,000 telephones, 35,000 of which are owned by the Wisconsin Telephone company and 30,000 are sub-licensed.

At Green Bay, central office equipment for local and toll switchboards amounted to $27,450 during 1922. An addition to the Green Bay exchange will be completed about May 1 of this year at a cost of approximately $50,000.

Central office equipment as announced by the phone company in other cities of the district are as follows: Fond du Lac, $51,500; Manitowoc, $26,000; Marinette, $23,000; Neenah, $24,000; Oshkosh, $16,332; Waupaca, $7,200; Oconto, $8,333; and Kewaunee, $2,856.

HILO DAMAGE $500,000

KAHULUI, Island of Maui, T. H.—By The Associated Press.—Revised estimates of the damage done here by the series of tidal waves on Saturday was placed at $500,000. The beach is strewn with lumber.

GREEN BAY P. M. RETIRES

GREEN BAY, Wis.—After serving for eight and one half years in the capacity of postmaster for Green Bay, W. I. Evans has retired from office, having been replaced by John Farrell, former city commissioner, who was recently appointed.

SEVENTY TO TAKE PLUMBERS' EXAMS ON FEBRUARY 26

MADISON, Wis.—More than 70 candidates for license as master or journeyman plumbers have filed application to take state examinations, which the state board of health has set for Feb. 26 at Milwaukee and Wausau. At Milwaukee the headquarters will be at the school of trades, 331 Virginia street, and at Wausau in the city hall.

Members of the committee of examiners are Frank J. Smith, Milwaukee, Frank R. King Madison and A. J. Matthias, Milwaukee.

KLAN FORMS BELOIT BRANCH

BELOIT, Wis.—Special.—More than 600 persons have affiliated with a provisional Ku Klux Klan branch here and a charter soon will be applied for according to L. M. Taylor, Rockford kleagle and organizer here.

BADGER LEGISLATOR DECLARES WAR UPON "PITTSBURGH PLUS"

Assemblyman from Superior Offers Bill for Abolition of Excess Freight

MADISON, Wis.—Abolition of the "Pittsburgh plus" was sought in a bill offered in the house on Wednesday by Assemblyman L. H. Allen, Superior. The measure provides for a committee, composed of the governor and the attorney general which "shall have full power and authority, and shall be charged with the duty of protecting the interests of the people of Wisconsin against the steel trade practices commonly known as Pittsburgh Plus, and other similar trade practices and bringing about their abolition."

Under the "Pittsburgh plus" plan, steel made in the middle west carries a freight rate added to the product as if the shipment had been made from Pittsburgh. The proposed commission would be authorized to begin action in court and before other commissions and bodies, where there is a possibility of relief being obtained.

The commission is given authority to carry on an educational campaign among laborers, manufacturers and farmers to point out "the evils" of the practice and to co-operate with other bodies and commissions to secure the aims sought. There is an appropriation of $15,000 to carry out the purposes of the bill.

Assemblyman Anton M. Miller of Outagamie county on Wednesday offered a bill to provide for a compulsory attendance and a report by all of the important boards and commissions to the legislature.

"At the opening of every session there are about five weeks consumed in the introduction of bills," said Mr. Miller in explaining the purposes of his bill. "My plan is to have the heads of all these departments appear before the legislature during the first five weeks and give an oral report to the legislature of the work which they are doing the cost of their department and the results which the department has accomplished. It would be compulsory on every department to make such a report. The members of the legislature would then be more familiar with the work of the different departments. We have little to do during the first weeks of the session and there would be plenty of time to hear the department heads."

Assemblyman Miller also offered a bill on Wednesday to repeal the law providing for the farmers' institutes. He claims that this plan has outlived its usefulness. This repeal bill would cut the expense of government about $30,000 annually.

Another bill by Miller would repeal the law now on the books for a demonstration stump pulling train. Mr. Miller declares that he does not believe the plan feasible.

Members of the legislature and state officers attended a reception at the executive mansion Tuesday evening.

MONTANA TAX BOARD NAMED

HELENA, Mont.—Acting under a bill passed last week, Governor Joseph M. Dixon has appointed A. O. Bergeson, his private secretary, State Treasurer J. W. Walker and A. J. Violette, an attorney of Missoula, members of the board of tax commissioners. At the same time the governor appointed O. H. Junod a former state senator, as state treasurer to succeed Mr. Walker. The senate confirmed the appointments.

"EXPERIMENTER" HELD

DENVER, Col.—By The Associated Press.—The Colorado supreme court ruled that experimenting in the making of whisky is as much a crime under the prohibition law as "moonshining." The decision was handed down against Henry Byrd, who said that he was an experimenter.

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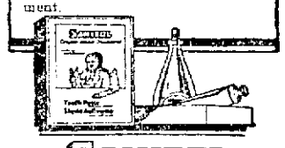
after colds & grippe
Dr. Pierce's
GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY
A Strengthening Tonic for Stomach Liver and Blood

At your druggist—
50¢ Combination Box
Or ask for Sanitol Tooth Paste and Liquid Antiseptic—it takes these 2 products to make a *complete* dental treatment. Tooth Paste whitens teeth by removing film. Liquid Antiseptic purifies the unbrushable inv spaces between teeth where food bits ferment.



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INCLUDE a half dozen New England Ginger Wafers with his lunch—most men find them a pleasant change from pie and cake. Flavored with real Jamaica ginger, these crisp, tasty Johnston cookies always "hit the spot". Your youngsters, too, will enjoy them at lunch or between-meals. Appetizing but plain, they're fine for growing children. Keep a bag of New England Ginger Wafers on the pantry shelf for the family. Your grocer always has them fresh.

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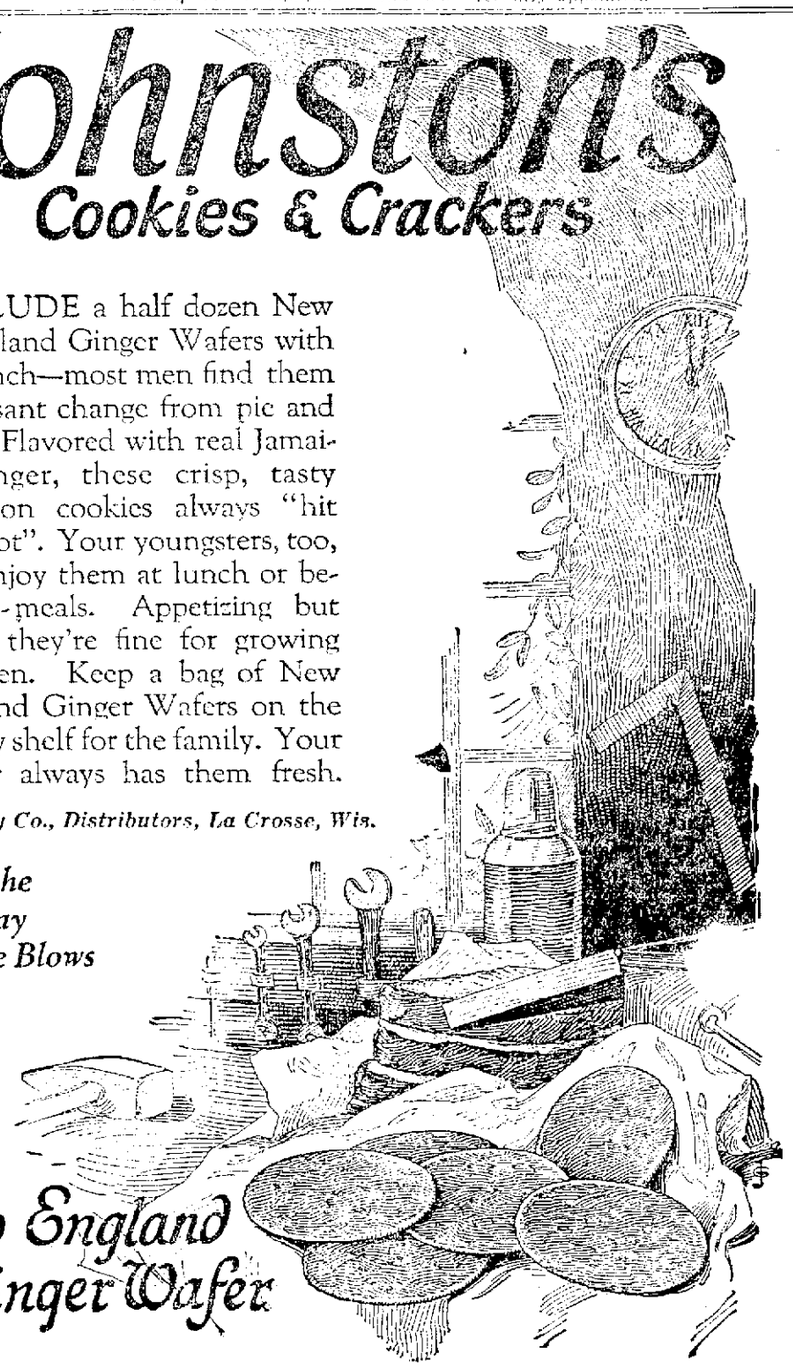

New England Ginger Wafer

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The New Spring Wash Fabrics Are Arriving Daily.
See These New Comers Friday

GINGHAMS! GINGHAMS! GINGHAMS!

The season of Ginghams is here. Our stocks are all new and color combinations for Spring are simply beautiful. We are featuring such well known brands as Appleweb, Toile-du-Nord, Kalbaurnie, Jacquelin, Ivanhoe and Gilbrae; 27 to 32 inches wide, priced at per yard—

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We have assembled over one hundred styles for your selection. Shown in all the new sport colorings in attractive check and plaid styles. 32 inches wide, priced at per yard 65c

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The styles for Spring are small neat attractive dots, circles, squares and block designs. The colors range from the staple street shades to the bold daring sport colors. Every yard washable, 36 inches wide, priced at per yard 65c

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A cotton crepe weave in bright vivid colors with lines of black running over the surface, forming small even checks. A stylish wash dress fabric that will give satisfactory service, 36 inches wide, yard... 98c

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FOR THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK and continuing until Valentine Day we will give a souvenir with every dollar purchase. These souvenirs may be exchanged

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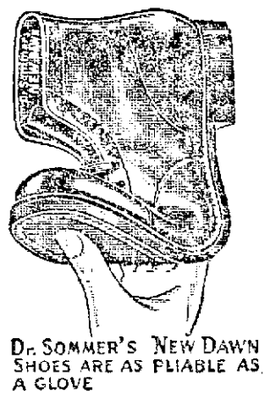

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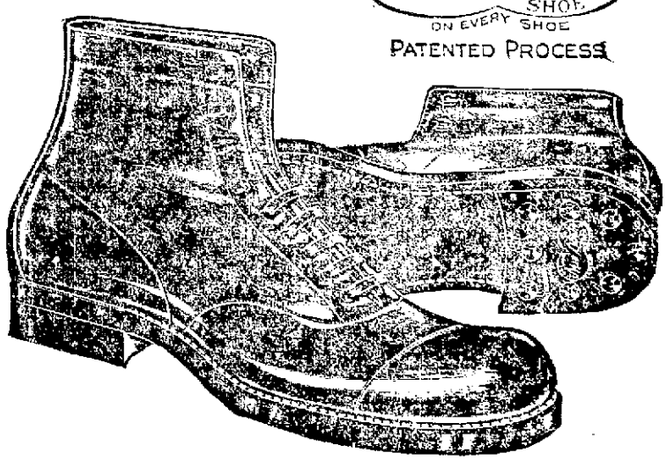

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